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\$1.00 PER YEAR

COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR TO BE HELD SATURDAY ATTRACTING ATTENTION

Saturday is the date of the first Calloway County School Fair, and weather conditions permitting, a most enthusiastic and large crowd of pupils and patrons from throughout the county is expected to be in Murray. The fair will be held in the court house, and every detail to make the undertaking a success has been completed.

The various contests will be participated in by many pupils from every section of the county and eager friends will attend to lend encouragement to favorites.

Everybody in the county, pupils, patrons, men, women and children are invited to come. The fair is absolutely free to everybody. Come and bring your dinner. Leave your basket of dinner with the committee of ladies in the basement of the Methodist church. It will be cared for and a nice, clean warm room will await you when you are ready to eat dinner.

The judges in the various contests have been named and are published following, together with the program, rules and complete list of premiums to be awarded:

Committee on judging essays: Mrs. J. H. Coleman, Mrs. J. C. McElrath, John Ryan and Miss Mary Coleman.

Judges of sewing and fancy work: Mrs. Nannie Graves, Mrs. Errett Dick, Mrs. E. B. Houston, Mrs. Louise Dick, Miss Bettie Myers, Mrs. J. C. Lawson and Mrs. Billie Meadow.

Judges of cooking: Mrs. J. P. Holt, Mrs. Walter Hamlin, Mrs. Maude Dulaney, Mrs. Gertie Watkins, Miss Cyprie Beale and Mrs. L. T. Crawford.

Judges of spelling and recitations: I. W. Keys, Gardie Lassiter, Mrs. Ben Grogan, Mr. Crosby, L. A. L. Langston, W. H. Finney.

Judges of music: Dr. Hugh McElrath, Mrs. B. B. Shoemaker, Prof. Dean, J. H. Coleman, Herbert Brinn.

Committee on reading, arithmetic and jumping contests: Z. G. Conner, Miss Alta Davis, R. W. Hood, Mrs. Ivy and J. M. Jones. Committee on dinner: Mrs. K. Robertson, Mrs. J. D. Rowlett, Mrs. G. Gentry Wadlington, Mrs. J. C. McElrath, Mrs. B. G. Humphrey, Mrs. Almada Marshall, Mrs. L. Y. Woodruff and Mrs. Steele.

Judges of woodwork: D. B. Cassiter, L. Y. Woodruff, Alva Willis, Esq. Clint Jones and Joe Clark.

Program.

Music by band.
Song—America.
Address—Purpose of the County School Fair.—Mrs. Lucile Groves Jones.

Declamatory contest.
Reading of prize essays.
Awarding Buster Brown prize.
Grand parade to dinner.
Singing contest.
Sight reading.
Spelling contest.
Awarding prizes.

Premium List.

1. Best essay on "The Value of a Business Education"—\$30.00. Awarded by the Business College, of Paducah.
2. Best essay on five or more facts found in Calloway county destructive of agricultural products and how to exterminate them.—1st prize \$3.00; 2nd \$2.00.—By J. D. Rowlett.
3. Best loaf of light bread. Fancy paper lamp.—By Beale & Son, Murray.
4. Best myonaise dressing

of Omega flour.—Sack of Omega flour by Covington Bros.

35. Best cooking, containing oatmeal.—Dozen packages Purity oats by Covington Bros.

36. Best solution of original problem dealing with farm life.

37. Best solution of original problem dealing with the home.

38. Best essay on "Why the Citizens of the United States are Paying a War Tax when we are at Peace with the World."—Box of fancy chocolate by J. M. Cole.

39. Best woodwork.—\$2.50.

40. Best chicken coop.—\$1.00.

41. Best single tree.—\$1.00.

42. Best model plow.—\$1.00.

43. Best chiseled yoke.—\$1.00.

44. Best towel containing a handkerchief, tatting or embroidery.—\$1.00.

45. Best ironed shirt.—\$1.00.

46. Best embroidered centerpiece.—\$1.00.

47. Best product map of the state of Kentucky.—\$1.00.

48. Best product map of the United States.—\$1.50.

49. Best six button holes.—\$1.00.

50. Best essay on "How Keep the Boy on the Farm."—Prize pig by the Bank of Murray.

51. Best story by child under 12 years of age.—Four pounds of home made candy by Currier's Cafe.

52. Second best singing by any high school.—\$4.00 in cash by Hazel High School.

53. Best all round arithmetic.—1st, six weeks' tuition in Hazel High School. 2nd, four weeks' tuition in Hazel High School. (Those entering this contest must be from the rural districts and either be enrolled in or contemplating enrolling in the Hazel High School.)

54. Best all round jumper.—\$1.00 in cash by the Hazel High School.

55. Best drawing by child under 11 years of age, illustrating some familiar story or rhyme. Mother Goose or Fable.—\$2.00 in cash by primary teachers of Murray School.

56. Best collection of drawings by child under 15 years of age. (Not less than five drawings.)—\$2.50 in cash by primary teachers of Murray School.

57. Best oration on Kentucky.—\$2.50, by Lynn Grove school.

58. Best copy book by boy.—1st prize, pair wooden shoes. J. L. Martin & Co.—2nd, pair of silk socks.—W. T. Beale & Co.

59. Best copy book by girl.—1st prize, pair kid gloves.—O. T. Hale & Co.

60. Best speech by country boy.—1st, silk necktie.—Beale & Wells; 2nd, pocket knife.—Diuguid & Son.

61. Best recitation by girl over 12.—Half dozen cabinet photographs.—Mr. Myers.

62. Best recitation by girl under 10.—One dozen oranges.—Broach & Fain.

63. Best recitation by boy under 10.—Pocket knife.—A. B. Beale & Son.

64. Best map of Calloway by girl under 10.—Pair of \$2 shoes.—Wadlington & Co.

65. Sight reading by boy over 14.—Necktie.—L. E. Graham.

66. Sight reading by boy under 14.—Book (choice of 100 titles).—Broach & Fain.

67. Largest delegation, including both pupils and patrons, attending fair from any district (Murray included).—1st, \$5 set of books.—Civic League.

68. Best singing by any high school.—\$5.00 cash.—Given by Murray High School.

69. Best essay on "The Best Way for the Boy on the Farm to Start a Bank Account."—Prize pig by First National Bank.

70. Best angel food cake made

PROMINENT MEN OF COUNTY DEAD

Daniel W. Morris, aged 68 years, of this city, died at his home on East Main Cross street last Friday afternoon after a very brief illness of pneumonia. He had been confined to his room for about three weeks of an illness that baffled his physicians, and Thursday developed pneumonia of which he died the following afternoon.

Mr. Morris was a native of Calloway county, residing near Hico for many years where he was engaged in farming and merchandising. After disposing of his interests there he moved to Murray and had been a resident of this city for several years. He was one of the most widely known citizens of the county, a splendid business man and had accumulated quite a fortune. Always jovial, and by his pleasant manner won many friends.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, M. T. and Hardin Morris of this city, besides other relatives in the county.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Hassell, after which the body was laid to rest in the City Cemetery.

Dr. C. N. Crawford died at his home in Lynn Grove last Sunday afternoon of heart trouble at the age of about 60 years. The announcement of his sudden death was a decided shock to hundreds of friends throughout the county. He had been transacting business Saturday as usual and upon retiring for the night stated to his wife that he was not feeling well. He did not arise as early as usual Sunday morning and when a member of the family made endeavor to awake him it was discovered that he was unconscious. He never rallied and at about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, as the evening time began to approach, he crossed "over the river to rest under the shade of the trees."

In the death of Dr. Crawford Calloway county, and especially the community in which he lived and labored, lost one of its most valuable citizens. He was a bundle of energy, tireless in his efforts for the moral, social and material advancement of his people, and by his sterling worth and unquestioned integrity won the love, confidence and esteem of all men. An open advocate of every measure that had for its purpose the uplift of the citizenship, the advancement of church or school, and equally open in his opposition of all things detrimental or harmful in their purposes.

Funeral services were conducted by Revs. J. C. Rudd and J. A. Hassell at Goshen Monday afternoon in the presence of a throng of friends estimated at more than one thousand. The burial was in the Goshen Cemetery.

Dr. Crawford is survived by a wife and six children, two daughters and four sons, who have the genuine sympathy of hundreds of friends in their bereavement.

Whit Paschal, another of Calloway's splendid citizens, died Tuesday afternoon of this week at his home a few miles west of this place, of paralysis. He attended the funeral and burial of Dr. Crawford Monday afternoon and was stricken and never regained consciousness, passing away Tuesday afternoon.

Whit Paschal was a good man, a splendid neighbor and his sudden taking away is the cause of much sorrow. He was about 60 years of age and is survived by a wife, two sons and numerous other relatives. The burial was at West Fork grave yard Wednesday afternoon.

Conner—Mason Wedding.

Miss Mary Virginia Conner and Dr. Robert M. Mason were united in marriage Wednesday morning, Dec. 29th, at 6:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Conner, of this city. Rev. H. Boyce Taylor, pastor of the Baptist church, saying the ceremony in the presence of numerous friends and relatives.

Miss Conner is one of the talented and popular members of the younger society circle and is admired by many friends.

Dr. Mason is the junior member of the firm of Drs. Mason & Mason, and is a son of Dr. Wm. Mason, of Hazel, and a native of the county. Since graduating from the Vanderbilt University he has been located in Murray and has established a splendid practice.

Immediately after the services Dr. Mason and bride left for St. Louis and Chicago where they spent several days, returning home the first of this week.

Tax Supervisors in Session.

The county board of tax supervisors, composed of Jack Beale, M. D. Holton, Nathan Lassiter, B. O. Langston, A. H. Waldrop and J. M. Orr, convened in the court house at this place Monday morning, and after being sworn in immediately entered upon the discharge of the duties imposed upon them. Calloway's assessed valuation for taxes this year is about \$300,000.00 less than last year and there is no question but that many of the property owners of the county will get "a raise." The board will be in session for two weeks and after a week's adjournment will be again convened to hear the complaints of those who might be raised.

Calloway Lad is Honored.

Charles Denham, the fourteen year old son of Wheeler Denham and wife, of Hazel, was chosen one of three pages of the house of representatives at Frankfort Tuesday of this week. Charles is a splendid little fellow and has many friends throughout the county who will be proud of the honor bestowed upon him by the state legislative body.

Murray Telephone Company.

The Murray Telephone Company is again rendering service for its patrons of the city and county. This company recently suffered the loss of its entire office equipment by fire and has just completed the installation of a modern Kellogg switch board with other office equipment of the newest designs. The rebuilt and refurnished office is attractive and convenient and has been visited by many people. The company is very desirous that all county subscribers place their lines in the best condition possible thereby enabling them to receive satisfactory service. The company cannot possibly furnish such service with the poles down, wires broken and tangled and crossed, and every patron out in the country should attend to these matters at once. The company extends a cordial invitation to all patrons and the public in general to visit their new office.

TO HOLD FIRST SALE NEXT WEEK

J. W. Winchester & Company, proprietors of the loose leaf warehouse, announce that they will hold the first sale of the season at their warehouse just east of the railway freight depot Thursday of next week, December 13. They have about 50,000 pounds of tobacco on the floor at this time and are anticipating receiving a number of additional crops before sales day. Growers who expect to sell on the loose floor should deliver their crops before that time, as it will be almost impossible to receive it during the sale.

Every farmer who has tobacco for sale is expected to be present to except or reject the bid made on his crop, and the firm extends a cordial invitation to every tobacco grower in the county to attend also, and to learn how the business is conducted.

It has been charged that if bids on crops are rejected the farmer will be compelled to have this firm prize his crop. This is not true. The tobacco belongs to the farmer until it is sold, and he can have it prized or dispose of it in any way he may choose. A large number of buyers will be here and the managers of the loose floor are expecting spirited bidding for the crops on hand. The Ledger would be glad to see a large number of farmers present at the first sale. Next Thursday is the date.

Yuletide Weddings.

It has oft been quoted, "in the spring time a young man's fancy lightly turns to love," but from the number of marriage licenses issued by County Clerk Brock during the Christmas season just passed it appears that the fancies of Calloway young men are no respecter of seasons. And again it may be that it was a conclusion reached after perusing the lines of the poet who said:

"Then be not coy, but use your time;
And while ye may, go marry;
For a lusty heart outwears your prime;
You may forever tarry."

Whatever the reason that prompted, love or fancy, the following couples were mated:

Porter Hutchens, to Miss Ethel Outland; Robt. McCuiston, to Miss Johnnie Hendon; T. F. Elkins, to Miss Orie Mary Morgan; Chester Kirk, to Miss Lura Smith; J. E. Armstrong, to Miss Nannie Lawrence; G. E. Walters, to Miss Edna Lamb; W. G. McCuiston, to Miss Fronnie Calhoun; Kellie J. Smith, to Mary L. Marr; Earl Miller, to Miss Lula Paschal; Malburn Travis, to Miss Ruby Cain; Roy Story, to Miss Fronnie Ford; W. B. Williams, to Miss Hattie Myers; Robt. Mason, to Miss Mary Conner; Alonza Outland, to Miss Nellie Parker; Robt. Smotherman, to Miss Nellie Hubbs.

City Councilmen Sworn In.

The new board of city councilmen composed of O. T. Hale, H. O. Diuguid, Tremon Beale, son of H. O. Diuguid, Vernon Stubbins, R. D. Simpson, Vernon Stubbins, field and W. S. Swan was inducted into office at a meeting for that purpose Monday of this week. The oath of office was administered by City Clerk Schroeder.

The first regular meeting of the board will be held at Philadelphia street and Main street at 8 o'clock on Wednesday night of this week.

At a vote won at the election, the board was divided into two parties, the one headed by Mayor Beale and the other by Mayor Schroeder. The board was divided into two parties, the one headed by Mayor Beale and the other by Mayor Schroeder. The board was divided into two parties, the one headed by Mayor Beale and the other by Mayor Schroeder.

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and flat breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

Aluminum alloy pistons in motor-car engines wear excellently with the usual lubrication.

Not Gray Hair but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your eyes young and you will look young. After the Mervin Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, sends Eye Book on request.

Two Styles.
"I believe in the mailed fist."
"And I am the pacifist."—Baltimore Sun.

DON'T GAMBLE that your heart's all right. Make sure. Take "Renovine"—a heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Hard Lines.
"Here's an item says England is short on matches."
"Then how is she going to come up to the scratch?"

No Need to Worry.
She was a very recent bride and endeavoring to keep house in the approved hygienic manner. Entering a strange bakery one day, she saw a huge cat put its paws on the low show windows and vault lightly in among the cakes.

"Oh, look!" she exclaimed to the stout lady in charge. "Your cat!"

"That is all right," soothingly replied the wide lady, with a wider smile. "Dat is Henry. He will not eat anything; he chust schniffs 'em."—Harper's Magazine.

Selfish Hubby.
A young husband who had not found married life exactly a path of roses, and who sincerely wished to prove to his wife the depth of his affection, went home one evening and said cheerily: "Well, Tilda, you can't guess what I have done today."

"Made a fool of yourself, as usual," replied Tilda ungraciously.

"That's as you look at it, dear one."

"Oh, John Henry," said the wife, "if you've done anything more than usually idiotic out with it and have done with it. What under creation have you been up to now?"

"Tilda, dearest, I have insured my life."

"Well," said the irate little woman. "I always knew you were mean! Insured your life, indeed! Ah! Always looking out for yourself first!"

LACK OF MONEY
Was a Godsend in This Case.

It is not always that a lack of money is a benefit.

A lady in Ark. owes her health to the fact that she could not pay in advance the fee demanded by a specialist to treat her for stomach trouble. In telling of her case she says:

"I had been treated by four different physicians during 10 years of stomach trouble. Lately I called on another who told me he could not cure me; that I had neuritis of the stomach. Then I went to a specialist who told me I had catarrh of the stomach, but would have to have his money down. I could not raise the necessary sum and in my extremity I was led to quit coffee and try Postum."

"The results have been magical. I now sleep well at night, something I had not done for a long time; the pain in my stomach is gone and I am a different woman."

"Every time I had tried to stop coffee I suffered from severe headaches, so I continued to drink it, although I had reason to believe it was injurious to me. But when I had Postum to drink it was different."

My surprise I did not miss coffee. I began to drink Postum. I had been steadily and surely doing it until I quit and to Postum." Name given by Dr. Battle Creek, Mich.

Cereal in two forms: Cereal—the original form—boiled. 15c and 25c pack.

—a soluble powder—in a cup of hot water and sugar, makes instantly. 20c.

By delicious per cup. or Postum, by Grocers.

RUSSIA ATTACKS ALONG 300 MILES

WELL SUPPLIED ARMY HURLING SLEDGE-HAMMER BLOWS AT TEUTONS.

WOULD ISOLATE TURKEY

If Czar Succeeds the Balkan Problem Will Be Settled—Big Movement May Also Influence Roumania.

London.—Russia's campaign in Bessarabia continues to be the most important visible war activity. From the Pripiet to the Roumanian frontier, over a front of at least 300 miles, a huge Russian force, with a great appearance of confidence, is hurling sledge-hammer blows at the opposing force, which, according to all accounts, totals at least 1,500,000 men.

Petrograd still claims considerable successes in the early stages of the campaign, and dispatches emphasize the excellent equipment, supplies and munitions that Russia laid up for this purpose during a period of comparative passivity.

Some London observers, speculating on the meaning of the Bessarabian move, hail it as one of the most ambitious strategic plans since the beginning of hostilities, and predict that it will prove a colossal attempt to break the backbone of the Germanic allies' whole line across the Balkans. Thus one critic says:

"The plan is that Russia and the other allies, moving from different sides, shall meet in the Balkans and gain complete mastery of that peninsula. If they succeed, Turkey will be subdued and the vitals of Austria-Hungary menaced."

So long as Russia keeps up her present activity just north of the Roumanian border, the attitude of Roumania will continue to grow in importance. There have been many assertions in the entente capitals that Roumania was about to enter the war on the side of the entente allies, but nothing to support this has yet been heard from credible Roumanian sources.

WINTER DELAYS OFFENSIVE

Bad Weather Will Prevent Allies On West Front From Making Drive. Troops Now Ready.

London.—The winter weather is likely to prove the most severe obstacle to war operations on the principal fronts during the next few weeks, according to dispatches from both the east and west.

"The most dreaded period of winter is from the end of December to the end of January," was a French general's reply a year ago to the demands for a greater offensive. The same remark probably would apply equally this year.

Reuter's correspondent at western headquarters, after asserting that the British staff is confident that the allies now have enough men and munitions to enable them to break through the German lines whenever the right time comes, declares that the weather is the chief reason for postponing the big movement, and adds:

"Such a movement needs careful planning and extreme caution. Rolling-up tactics always involve the possibility of counter-attacks which may end in rolling up the aggressor. With the face of the country in a porous and mushy condition it is impossible to effect essential quick movements of artillery without which any big offensive is foredoomed to fail."

"The allied troops would probably have little trouble in occupying the greater part of the German front trenches forthwith, because the enemy holds these lightly. But then? With the ranges registered to a nicety from myriads of artillery and machine guns such a step would be sheer suicide until the opportunity is ripe."

Three Missing in Fire.

Philadelphia.—Twenty persons were injured, two probably fatally, in a fire that destroyed the Bellevue Apartments here. Mrs. Elizabeth Ostrum and two children of Mrs. Nellie Buchanan are missing and are believed to have been burned to death. The apartment house contains 28 apartments and about 200 persons were in the building. The blaze started in a waste paper bin in the basement and quickly spread to the upper stories. The financial loss was estimated at about \$100,000.

To Eradicate Yellow Fever.

Washington.—A plan for co-ordinate action by all American republics toward eradication of yellow fever in the western hemisphere has been approved by the executive committee of the Pan-American Scientific Congress. It will be submitted to the congress which is being held in Havana, Cuba, and is being submitted to the government of the American nation. The plan was presented by Surgeon General Gorgas of the United States Army, as chairman of the public health branch of the congress.

MORE PORTS ARE OCCUPIED

Allies Land Troops at Greek Port and On Greek Island—Protection For Saloniki.

London.—Two new landings by the entente allies in the near east are reported. The British have transferred some troops from Saloniki to Orfano, a small Greek port 80 miles east of Saloniki, with the intention of thus checking any possibility of a hostile advance from this quarter. The second landing was made by the French on the Greek island of Castelorio, off the southeast coast of Asia Minor, not far from the important seaport of Adalia.

An Athens dispatch says that the occupation of Adalia is the object of the landing. A railway runs north of Adalia, and the presence there of a strong entente force would menace the communications of any hostile force operating against Egypt or the lower Tigris region.

These movements indicate that the entente allies' positions around Saloniki are now considered secure and indications are that the campaign around Saloniki will develop into a long-drawn-out warfare, as on other fronts.

Rome reports that the central powers have begun a general withdrawal from the entire Macedonian front, owing to the serious Russian campaign in Bessarabia, but this lacks confirmation.

In the entente capitals, however, there is a general opinion that the Russian campaign in Bessarabia, which has been undertaken in the face of unfavorable weather conditions, is likely to have an important bearing on the whole war situation. According to one version, Russia's new move is the forerunner of the impending Roumanian entry into the war on the side of the entente allies.

INDICT PEACE LEADERS

A Congressman and Other Members of Labor Peace Council Accused of Fomenting Strikes.

New York.—Eight men, including a congressman, a former congressman and a former attorney-general of Ohio, have been indicted here by a federal grand jury on a charge of conspiring to foment strikes in American munitions factories as a part of a campaign financed by the German government, to check the exportation of munitions to the entente allies.

The men indicted were Congressman Buchanan of Illinois, former Congressman R. Robert Fowler of Illinois, Frank S. Monnett, former attorney-general of Ohio; H. B. Martin, Herman Schulteis, Franz von Rintelen, David Lamar and Jacob C. Taylor. All of the men except Von Rintelen and Lamar are officers or former officers of labor's national peace council. The government charges that this organization was financed by Franz von Rintelen, a German agent, to instigate strikes in munitions plants while ostensibly working in the interests of the international peace.

Von Rintelen is at present a prisoner of war in England. Lamar, known as the "wolf of Wall street," is said to have been his paymaster. No warrants were issued for the arrest of any of the indicted men, as District Attorney H. Snowden Marshall stated that he had reason to believe that most of the defendants would appear voluntarily to enter pleas.

JUSTICE LAMAR IS DEAD

Georgia Member of Supreme Court Succumbs to Heart Attack—Ill for Many Months.

Washington.—Joseph Rucker Lamar, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, died at his home here, after an illness of several months. He was 58 years old, and had been on the supreme bench five years.

The immediate cause of death was gradual heart failure, hastened by inflammation of one of the lungs, which had threatened to develop into pneumonia. The attending physician declared, however, that the primary cause was overwork, due to the arduous duties of a member of the Supreme Court and as commissioner of the United States in 1914 to the mediation conference between the United States and Mexico at Niagara Falls.

Exhausted by last year's term of court, Justice Lamar went to White Sulphur, W. Va., in June. He improved until September, when a clot in an artery caused him to lose the use for a time of his left arm and leg. It was some time before he recovered from this attack, but when he returned to Washington in October he planned to return to his work on the bench in February.

About a week ago the justice contracted a cold. His weakened heart was unable to bear the added burden of this inflammation. The burial took place at Augusta, Ga., for many years the home of the justice.

King Constantine III.

London.—A dispatch from Athens says that Prof. Friedrich-Kraus of Berlin and Prof. Eislerberg of Vienna, who attended King Constantine during his illness last spring, have returned to Athens to examine the wound left by the operation performed in June, which has not healed. The wound is giving the king some trouble, although his general condition is good. Prof. Eislerberg performed the operation, removing part of the tenth rib. The king was suffering from pleurisy.

NEARLY 400 LOST ON THE PERSIA

BRITISH LINER IS SUNK WITHOUT WARNING IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA.

AMERICAN CONSUL KILLED

Robert McNeely, Consul at Aden, Perishes When Submarine Delivers Death Blow To Big Liner Off the Island of Crete.

London.—Three hundred and ninety-two men, women and children, including Robt. N. McNeely, American consul at Aden, were lost when the Persia of the Peninsular & Oriental Line was torpedoed, without warning, off the island of Crete. These figures are based on the latest advices from Alexandria, where 158 survivors have been landed. The survivors comprised the chief officer, second officer, seven engineers, 27 seamen, 63 lascars and 59 passengers.

Out of 87 women passengers only 17 were saved. Apparently all the 30 children on board were drowned.

The survivors at Alexandria unite in a statement that the Persia was torpedoed without warning. She sank in five minutes. A majority of the surviving passengers and an officer declare they saw the wake of the torpedo which sank the ship.

An official statement says the Persia was struck by the torpedo amidships on the port side at 10 minutes after 1 o'clock on the afternoon of Dec. 30, and that five minutes later the ship disappeared. It is regarded as a miracle that any one was saved. One report says there was no panic, and that four boats were launched with and that 550 souls aboard only 158 escaped, this seems improbable. The captain went down with his ship.

The last survivors saw of Mr. McNeely he was swimming about in the water by the side of the sinking steamship a few seconds before she disappeared. It was regarded as certain that he had been pulled down by the suction when the Persia took her final plunge.

One of the Americans aboard, Chas. Grant of Boston, is on the list of survivors, but other information received here indicates that he and J. W. Rose of Denver left the steamship at Gibraltar.

SIX DIE IN CHICAGO FIRE

Explosion Wrecks Building of Linseed Oil Mill and Start Flames That Do \$2,000,000 Damage.

Chicago.—Fire has destroyed the South Chicago plant of the American Linseed Company branch, caused the death of six men, believed to have been killed by an explosion or burned in the resulting flames, and occasioned a property loss of \$2,000,000.

The fire started with an explosion attributed to spontaneous combustion of linseed dust, which wrecked the percolator building and sent flames sweeping through the other four buildings occupied by the company.

So intense were the flames and so speedy were their spread that an oil freighter, loaded and ready to leave the Calumet River slip beside the plant, caught fire and its cargo was burned.

All the employees except William Melles of the percolating plant and five workmen, who were with him in the building, were accounted for when the flames were under control.

The inflammable nature of the product manufactured made the flames difficult to fight, and time after time the firemen were forced from their stations by dense clouds of smoke.

The plant consisted of four four-story brick buildings.

Indicted for Twelve Deaths.

New York.—Edward L. Diamond, his wife, Samuel Parkin and Samuel Simon, have been indicted here on charges of first and second degree manslaughter growing out of the deaths of twelve persons in a fire which destroyed the five-story Diamond Candy Factory Nov. 6.

Attacks Spouse—Is Killed.

Atlanta, Ga.—After attempting to kill his wife as she was boarding a street-car here, Job B. Spier was shot and instantly killed by the woman's father, Dr. J. W. Bishop of Burwell, Ga., and her brother, H. A. Bishop of this city.

After Oyster Men.

Washington.—Prosecution of oyster dealers found guilty of the practice of adding fresh water to shucked oysters, so as to greatly increase their size, in violation of the food and drugs act, will be recommended by the department of agriculture.

Greek Chamber Hastily Summoned.

London.—Athens papers announce that the chamber of deputies has been hastily convened and will meet on Jan. 17, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company.

PUNISH SUBMARINE CAPTAIN

Austria Conveys This Information to U. S. in Reply to Ancona Note. Cannot Admit Responsibility.

London.—The Austrian reply to the second American note on the Ancona states that the commander of the Austrian submarine has been punished for not sufficiently taking account of the panic aboard the Ancona, which rendered disembarkation more difficult.

The Austrian reply further expresses the hope that Washington will be able to supply the particulars of how the American citizens were affected, but in the event of such evidence being unable to state how the American citizens came to their death, the Austro-Hungarian government "is ready to pass lightly over this deficiency and indemnify for damages, whose proximate cause cannot be fixed, and hopes thereby that the incident will be regarded as ended."

The Austrian note, while announcing the willingness of the Austro-Hungarian government to pay an indemnity for the American victims of the Ancona, declares that the government "cannot admit responsibility for damage caused by the justifiable firing on the fleeing vessel, or by the capsizing of the boats before the torpedo was fired."

The reply of the Austrian government is forwarded to Reuter's Telegram Company from Vienna by way of Amsterdam. The note says:

"In reply to the second American Ancona note, the Austro-Hungarian government fully agrees with the Washington cabinet that the sacred laws of humanity should be taken into account also in war, and emphasizes that it, in the course of this war, has given numerous proofs of the most humane feelings."

"The Austro-Hungarian government, too, can positively concur in the principle that enemy private vessels, so far as they do not fly or offer resistance, shall not be destroyed before the persons aboard are secured."

"The assurance that the United States government attaches value to the maintenance of the existing good relations between Austria-Hungary and the United States is warmly reciprocated by the Austro-Hungarian government, which now, as heretofore, is anxious to render these relations still more cordial."

The Austro-Hungarian government then communicates the results of the inquiry into the sinking of the Ancona, which was recently concluded.

BIG BATTLE IN VOSGES

French Claim to Have Made Small Gains in Important Hills—Servians Reform Army.

London.—Despite the weather, the duel in the Vosges Mountains, in the western zone, continues, and may prove to be one of the big operations of the war. The gains in either direction thus far have been small, but the French claim progress in their effort to establish themselves on the crest of the foothills which here dominate the plain.

By all accounts Saloniki is now safe. Certainly the central powers show no haste to attack the allies' position. Seventy-five thousand Servians have reformed at Scutari and Ellosan, in Albania, and the Montenegrin army, which heretofore has been debarricaded geographically from taking any large part in the war, is throwing itself energetically into the contest against the Austrians.

Reports that the Austrians are attacking Scutari are authoritatively denied. According to the latest advices, the Austrians were at Bjelopole, where they were recently repulsed by the Montenegrins, and cannot reach Scutari without crossing the Albanian Alps and the flooded River Drin.

No official announcement is yet available in London as to the decision of the cabinet in favor of compulsion, but the political atmosphere has been considerably cleared by the admission that the principle of compulsion is accepted by a majority of the members of the cabinet. Public opinion has not yet crystallized, but there is widespread approval of Premier Asquith's general attitude and there is a feeling that the public is quite ready to be convinced.

The difficulties within the cabinet may be expected to diminish as the question shapes itself in practical form.

A joint meeting of the representatives of the labor party and the Federation of Trades Unions has been summoned, and a detailed statement of the attitude is likely to follow.

John T. Yates Sick.

Omaha, Neb.—John T. Yates, sovereign clerk of the Woodmen of the World, is reported seriously ill of pneumonia at his home here.

British Seized Rubber.

London.—A British official statement says: "It is asserted that 55 bags of rubber all consigned to a well-known enemy forwarding agent in Sweden, were removed from the parcel mail on board the steamship Oscar II. The estimated weight of the rubber seized is about 4,000 pounds."

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If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

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ATTORNEY MAKES REPORT TO GOV.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 30.—A summary of the report of Attorney General Garnett, transmitted to Gov. Stanley, not including hundreds of opinions given state and county officers, shows that during the last administration the department had handled 390 commonwealth cases on appeal, seventy-five civil cases in courts of original jurisdiction and twenty-five appeals.

Among the latter are a number of important ones, including the Greenbrier distillery case in the United States Supreme court sustaining the railroad commissioner's jurisdiction in fixing freight rates; the Insurance Rating Board case, holding the act creating it constitutional; the International Harvester cases in the Federal Court, fixing the status of the Kentucky anti-trust laws; the Webb-Kenyon cases in the United States Supreme court; cases involving the validity of the state warrants; the Confederate pension act; the workmans compensation act case; and the litigation pending in the Federal Court over the 1912, 1913 and 1914 franchise taxes on the railroads.

In regard to the construction placed upon the Kentucky local option law that a common carrier is guilty only for shipping and delivering liquor if he has reasonable grounds for believing the use to which it is to be put is illegal, the attorney general said subsequent experience has shown that the Webb-Kenyon law is ineffective so far as Kentucky is concerned. "If anyone except a known bootlegger is made the consignee the express agent usually has not sufficient information as to his private intention to justify a refusal to deliver the shipment to him," said he, "particularly since the carrier is subject to a civil action for damages for wrongful refusal to deliver a shipment, if it should thereafter turn out that his intentions as to its use was in fact lawful."

"Since the enactment of the Hampton law in 1914, placing interstate shipments on the same footing as interstate shipments, and permitting shipments from points within the state for personal, medicinal and other lawful uses," he said, "persons in those dry counties who formerly had to order from points outside the state at considerable delay and expense, are now supplied from the nearest point within the state where liquor may be legally sold. From the prosecutions coming to the Court of Appeals it seems that a large and steadily increasing mail order and telephone trade has been developed throughout the state, the consumption of intoxicating liquors thereby being greatly increased in southern and interior sections of the commonwealth."

He recommended a revision and codifying of the laws and the publication in a separate volume of "political statutes," relating to the duties of public officers, as reducing the expense of volumes for the use of officers and affording them a handy manual for their guidance. He also believes that the general assembly should engage the services of two attorneys to see that all bills are drawn and passed in the form prescribed by law, so as to make them valid as to their structural features.

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New Officials Sworn In.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 3.—New state officers assume their duties in Kentucky today in every elective office except governor and lieutenant governor. The following is the list of the new men and their predecessors who step out today:

1916—Robert L. Greene, auditor. Henry M. Bosworth, 1912.
1916—Sherman Goodpastor, treasurer. Thomas Rhea, 1912.
1916—M. M. Logan, attorney general. James Garnett, 1912.
1916—Mat S. Cohen, commissioner of agriculture. J. W. Newman, 1912.
1916—James F. Lewis, secretary of state. Dr. C. F. Creelius, 1912.
1916—Rodman W. Keenon, clerk court of appeals. Robert Greene, 1912.
1916—Nat B. Sewell, inspector and examiner. Sherman Goodpastor, 1912.

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The B. A. Thomas Hog Powder has a record of 95 per cent. cures of Hog Cholera. If you feed your hogs as directed, you need never fear hog cholera nor any other hog disease. And the directions are very simple, just about what you are doing, plus a few cents worth of B. A. Thomas' Hog Powder in the feed twice a week.

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Seven More States Dry.

Statewide prohibition became effective in seven states with the coming of the new year. They are Colorado, Iowa, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Arkansas, and South Carolina. When Virginia closes its saloons on November 1, 1916, nineteen states will have joined the dry column. Nebraska, California, Michigan, South Dakota, Vermont and the Territory of Alaska will vote on prohibition this year and several other states are expected to ballot on this question.

Chas. Eaker, who has been making his home near New Concord the past year, has moved to Murray and will again resume the practice of law.

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Temple Hill Elects Officers.

At the last regular meeting of Temple Hill Lodge No. 276, F. & A. M. the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

J. A. Howlett, W. M.; Pat Beale, S. W.; Boyd Gilbert, J. W.; J. W. Wade, Secy.; H. J. Griffin, S. D.; W. E. Gilbert, J. D.; E. L. Jones and Brown Geurin, stewards; R. C. Mahandro, marshal; J. C. Mahon, Tyler; Rev. J. M. Crass, chaplain.

Dr. D. H. Siress Gets Commission.

Dr. D. H. Siress, veterinarian, has been appointed Special Live Stock Inspector by the State Live Stock Sanitary Board of Kentucky. For some time there has been no inspector in this county commissioned by the State, so the appointment of Dr. Siress will be welcome news to breeders and shippers. Dr. Siress is now authorized to make all tests and certify interstate shipments of live stock. Adv.

Card of Appreciation.

We wish to express our appreciation to the Woodman Circle, also to Grove No. 132 of Kirksey, Ky., for the satisfactory manner in which the claim under the certificate held by our late mother, Lizzie C. Wrather, was adjusted. We cannot speak too highly of the benefits derived from a certificate of membership in the Woodman Circle. Eva, Opal and Mabel Wrather.

River Hills.

Mr. Andrew Jones has moved from the Evans place. Mr. Jones is a clever man and a good neighbor.

Mrs. Nancy Donelson is on the sick list. Also Mrs. Mackie King and Mrs. T. T. Finis Lovett is recovering from a bad spell of pneumonia. Jack Elkins, son of R. H. Elkins, and Miss Otie Morgan, daughter of David Morgan, two very popular young people of near Boatwright were quietly united in marriage on Christmas Eve. We wish for the youngsters a pleasant journey through life.

Christmas has come and passed very quietly in this part. But few social gatherings for the young folks. The snow that has been looked for proved to be rain, rain more rain. Old Tennessee river is bursting wide open and more yet to come.

As the editor did not publish my last article in regard to the pressure of times, he may not this, so will desist by saying that I wish for the Ledger and all its readers a prosperous year. Ho Ho.

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MINISTER OF NANCY HANKS

Man Who Preached Funeral Sermon for Lincoln's Mother Buried in Neglected Graveyard.

Bedford, Ind.—The body of a minister who preached the funeral sermon of Nancy Hanks, mother of Abraham Lincoln, is buried in Lawrence county in a little neglected country graveyard. Several miles west of this city and Mitchell is a little graveyard almost hidden by the weeds that bears the inscription, "David Elkins, 2 S. C. 211, War 1812."

The Lincoln family moved from Kentucky to Spencer county, Ind., in 1815. A year later the mother died, and in those days it was a difficult matter to get a minister at the time of a death, and the funeral services were often preached later at a convenient time. A few days after the death of his mother, young Lincoln wrote to Mr. Elkins, who was a neighbor of the family in Kentucky, requesting him to come and preach his mother's funeral sermon. Mr. Elkins started on horseback for the Lincoln home to comply with the request of Lincoln. The minister traveled nearly 100 miles. Lincoln, becoming impatient, started to visit Mr. Elkins and they met on the road, returning to the Lincoln home together.

BISHOP TO GIVE UP LEGACY.

Surrenders \$11,000 When Heirs of Testator File Caveat Against Probate of Will.

Trenton, N. J.—When John Butterhof, ninety-one years old, died recently at Egg Harbor City, he left a will in which he gave only small sums to relatives and gave the bulk of the estate, valued at \$11,000, to Bishop James A. McPaul of the Roman Catholic diocese of Trenton.

The three sons and daughters of Mr. Butterhof filed a caveat against the probate of the will, asserting that their father was incompetent. When this matter was called to Bishop McPaul's attention he directed his attorneys to see that the residue of the estate, instead of going to him, shall be divided among the protesting children.

Wilson-Neal.

Miss Earlene Wilson, of Heath, and Mr. Edgar Neal, of Hardin, Ky., were married Wednesday afternoon by the Rev. J. B. Pearson, at his home at Lone Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Unselt, of Heath, accompanied the couple. The bride is a popular young woman with many friends. Mr. Neal is a prosperous farmer of Marshall county.—News-Democrat.

Want Jurisdiction.

The County Judge's Association of Kentucky hopes to see the next Legislature pass a bill providing for jurisdiction by county judges of all misdemeanor cases, according to Judge S. E. DeHaven, of Oidham county. At present the county judges have jurisdiction only in misdemeanor cases where the fine is not more than \$100 and the jail sentence is not more than fifty days.

Poultry Parasites.

You keep the chicken house clean to keep the parasites off the chickens. You spray to kill germs—but what do you do to get the germs and parasites inside the chickens? Hens especially show it at moulting time and during the winter. How can you expect them to lay? Free them of all internal parasites by feeding B. A. Thomas Poultry Powder occasionally. If it doesn't make your hens happy, we will return your money.—Sexton Bros.

A son was born Tuesday morning of this week to Finis Outland and wife. This makes two pair for Finis, and the "draw," either way the cards run, will give him a "full house."

Hewlett Clark, Jeff Rowlett, Jr., and Harry Sladd left last week for Pensacola, Fla. Local citizens own a large tract timber land near there in which Messrs. Clark and Rowlett are interested.

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Activity In Hogshead Trade.

There was a good deal of activity in the hogshead market again last week. The association sold 109 hogsheads of common to good medium leaf at prices ranging from 7 to 10 cents. Then there were a few independent sales reported over the district from private storage houses and the stocks of old leaf are being rapidly reduced. I hope to be able to give the number of unsold hogsheads in the district in my next week's report. There still remains a good deal of medium to good leaf in the unsold stocks, but it is of the dark and heavy variety. Sellers seem disposed to turn their old tobacco loose and get ready for taking care of the new. I would say the market for old leaf was firm, but unchanged.

Very little loose tobacco has been moving during the past week. The weather being cool and the roads very bad. The loose sales on the floors here last week were light, there being only about 40,000 pounds sold. The quality was generally very poor, but the order showed an improvement over last week. Prices were about the same for loose tobacco. Leaf ranging from 4 to 8 1/4 cents, while lugs were a little stronger, with prices ranging from 2 to 3 1/2 cents.—W. B. Kennedy.

A series of meetings were commenced at the Baptist church last Sunday and will continue for two or three weeks. The pastor, Rev. H. B. Taylor, is conducting the services. Mr. J. S. Raborn, of Waco, Texas, is choir leader and soloist.

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LOCAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. J. W. Jones and daughter visited the former's mother in Hartford Christmas.

Cletus Fain, who is studying theology in Vanderbilt University, was at home last week.

For Sale.—About 15 tons good hay at reasonable prices.—V. C. Wells, Alamo, Ky. 121634

Mr. P. T. Connell, of St. Louis, is the guest of friends in Murray this week.

For any itches of the skin, for skin rashes, chaps, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 50c at all drug stores.

Mrs. S. Higgins left Tuesday afternoon for Pensacola, Fla., to spend the winter with her son, Van Higgins and wife.

John Mc Melan, of Nashville, Obe Melan, of Memphis, and P. G. Melan of Paducah, were the guests of their mother, Mrs. Jane Melan, Christmas week.

Mr. H. Purley and sister, o Cadiz, were called here last week by the serious illness of their brother-in-law, H. B. Scott, who is suffering from a serious heart trouble.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulants (25c per box) act mildly on the liver and bowel. At all drug stores.

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W. W. Stubblefield returned home the past week from Texas and for the next several weeks will be in charge of the J. L. Martin stock of clothing while Mr. Martin is absent visiting his wife in San Antonio, Tex.

Hon. Max Hanberry and Mrs. Hanberry returned Tuesday from Nashville, where they were called last week by the serious illness of Mrs. Hanberry's brother, Mr. George J. Francis, who died on last Friday morning at 7:30 o'clock.—Cadiz Record.

The McElrath building, recently vacated by Wadlington & Company, has been thoroughly overhauled and the firm of W. P. Brisendine, formerly of Whitlock, are moving their stock of goods into same. John Clifton, of this city, will be with the new firm. Brisendine and Company are popular merchants and splendid citizens and will be welcomed to Murray business and social circles.

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What's the use of sporting a good time for yourself by limping around with those corns? It's one of the worst things in the world, now, to get rid of them. "Gets-It" does it.



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Mrs. Emma Braeme, who has been quite ill of gripe, is slowly improving.

For Sale.—Good milk cow. Fresh in about a month.—J. P. Holt, Murray, Ky.

Wadlington & Company are now at home in their new quarters in the Graham building and have one of the best arranged and handsomest stores ever in the city.

Feel languid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off"? A good remedy is Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist. Price \$1.00.

Lindsey Phillips, of Omaha, Neb., was the guest of his parents near Hazel and brother, Clarence, of this city, during the holidays.

Mr. Clarence Gray, a young man of this place, answered the final summons just after midnight Sunday night at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. P. C. Tooke, in this city, after being confined to his bed since last August as a result of a cut which he received on his knee.—Cadiz Record.

License to marry was granted Monday morning to Richard S. Hart, aged 26, of Murray, and Miss Lena Dalton, aged 22, of Mayfield. The ceremony was performed Monday morning by Rev. W. S. Peeples, pastor to the Second Methodist church.—Mayfield Messenger.

Miss Helen Wolcott, of Shelbyville, Ky., state agent of the home demonstration and canning club, will be in Murray next Tuesday and will deliver an address at the court house at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A special request that all the club members of the city be present, and the general public is invited.

T. W. Patterson left the past week for St. Louis where he has accepted a position as traveling salesman with the Charter Oak Stove and Range Co. Mr. Patterson will travel Kentucky, Tennessee and Northeast Arkansas for the firm. Mr. Patterson has many friends in the county who will be pleased to learn that he has a splendid position and wish him success.

Earl Smith, aged 17, and a lad 14 years of age by the name of Warren, were arrested last Saturday afternoon near Dexter charged with shooting into the caboose of a passing freight train with a revolver. It is said the ball passed through the window near where two trainmen were sitting. The Warren boy was released under the custody of his father and the Smith boy was lodged in jail. Their examining trial is being held today.

Connie Taylor, son of John Taylor, of Concord, and Miss Willie Marr, daughter of Tom Frank Marr, eloped to Illinois Friday of last week and were united in marriage. An attempt was made by the young folks to marry Christmas day, and after young Taylor had gone to Paris and secured the necessary license Mr. Marr was acquainted with the intentions of the couple and secured possession of the license and prevented the elopement at that time. Regardless of strenuous endeavor the last attempt was successful.

This issue of the Ledger contains the professional card of Attorney W. H. Jones, who recently opened offices with County Attorney Barnett. Mr. Jones is one of the most widely known young citizens of the county and has a wide circle of friends, and the prediction is made that he will readily take rank with the leading attorneys at the local bar. Mr. Jones is a graduate of the law department of the State University and is splendidly equipped to enter the practice of his chosen profession. Any business entrusted to his care will be given painstaking and careful attention.

A daughter was born to Gen. try Miller and wife, east of the city, the 23rd of December.

E. J. Beale and wife visited Mrs. Beale's parents in Hopkinsville through the holidays.

Mrs. T. B. House and little son visited relatives in Hopkinsville during Christmas.

Mrs. Irvan Kirk, of Paris, was the guest of her parents, E. S. Diuguid and wife, during the holidays.

Ed Shell, who has been making his home near Cottage Grove the past few years, has returned to Calloway to reside.

Dr. J. C. Scruggs, of Fulton, was the guest of home folks near Martins Chapel during the holidays.

Miss Annie Brown Sale, teacher of expression in the school at Lone Oak, near Paducah, spent the holiday vacation in the city with her mother.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. For burns, scalds, cuts and emergencies. All druggists sell it. 25c and 50c.

Graham Holland, now with a chair factory at Louisville, spent the holidays in Murray the guest of his mother, Mrs. L. W. Holland.

Rev. Wells Lassiter and wife, of Dyer, Tenn., were here the guests of his parents, R. R. Lassiter and wife, during the holidays.

Physicians of the city estimate the number of cases of colds and grip in the city at not less than 750. The price of handkerchiefs will surely advance.

Mr. O. A. Butterworth, of Brookport, Ill., is slowly recovering from a stroke of paralysis. He is, however, still confined to his residence.—News Democrat.

Ellie Cochran and family have moved to Paducah, leaving here Wednesday night, where he has a position with one of the leading tobacco concerns of that city.

Luther Jackson has accepted a position with L. E. Graham as salesman, and will also conduct a pressing parlor in connection with this popular haberdashery.

A lot of harness were taken from the Mason stables on north Curt street some several weeks ago and if the person who took them will return the property to the stable nothing will be done, otherwise arrest and prosecution will follow. The owner knows the person.

Connie Nix has moved to Puryear where he will be associated with Ryan & Co., at that place. Mr. Nix is a splendid merchant and a splendid citizen and the Ledger regrets to see him leave Murray. He will be in charge of the business.

Andrew M. Wear has returned to Murray and is again associated with the Murray Saddle & Harness Co. He succeeds Mr. Wiley Utterback who will possibly go west to locate in the near future.

Cliff Ferguson, of Indianapolis, Ind., Miss Gracie Ferguson, of Bowling Green, Ky., and Miss Jewel Ferguson, of Mayfield, and Ben Ferguson, of Farmington were here during the holidays the guests of their mother Mrs. S. J. Ferguson.

Mr. Bob Lassiter, for the past many years one of the well known east-side residents and who recently sold his large river bottom farm, has moved to Murray and is occupying the residence in the southwest part of the city purchased by him of Mr. McBride.

L. C. Trevathan, Calloway's new circuit court clerk, was inducted into office Monday of this week, Judge Langston administering the oath. Mr. Trevathan is busy acquainting himself with the duties of the office and expects to take care of the business in a way that will satisfy all the people of the county.

Miss Novella Glasgow spent the holidays in Jackson, Tenn.

E. J. Trail and wife spent Tuesday of this week with relatives and friends in Mayfield.

Mrs. Herbert Bailey and son were the guests of relatives in Benton during the holidays.

Joe Lancaster left the first of the week for points in Southern Illinois on a business trip.

Mrs. Irvan Kirk and children, of Paris, were the guests of Mrs. Kirk's parents last week.

Dr. W. M. Mason returned from Baltimore and Washington Monday.

George Gatlin and wife spent Christmas day in Paris with Rev. Jones and family.

Miss Hope Hart, who is attending school in Murray, visited her parents at Mason, Tenn., through the holidays.

Dr. Robt. Church, wife and sons, of Williamsport, Tenn., were in the city the guests of Mrs. Church's parents, T. V. Rowlett and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett McRee, of Owensboro, and Miss Ruby Barnett, of Independence, Kas., visited with home folks.

Mrs. Pierce and sons moved to Kirksey last Wednesday. Doyle Pierce will have charge of the Kirksey switchboard.

Mrs. J. D. Wells and children left the past week for Bridgeport, Tenn., to join Mr. Wells who is city marshal of that place. They will make their home there.

Mr. Delon Williams, instructor of science and athletics in the Davenport, Iowa, High School, and Mr. Clarence Gaugh, of Lexington, were the guests of Mr. Joe Williams and family last week.

Mr. John Mc Clayton has returned to Murray after a several weeks' visit to his brother, W. A. Clayton, of Appleton City, Mo., who has been quite ill of cancer. Mr. Clayton will remain here for some time.

The Owens boys, Leland and Cyrus, have purchased the west half of the Fields livery stable building and have moved their livery equipment to the building where they will conduct their business in the future.

Mr. Will Conner, of Trenton, Tenn., brother of Mr. Z. T. Conner, of this city, was united in marriage the 28th of December to Mrs. Wilson, of Humboldt, Tenn. They were in Murray to attend the Conner-Mason wedding and spent several days here.

Prentice Holland, who recently sold his interest in the Thornton drug store, has charge of the Diuguid & Son furniture store during the illness of Mr. H. B. Scott. Prentice has already learned the difference between a set of bed springs and a box of blue whistlers.

Mrs. W. L. Cathey died at her home just west of the city limits Thursday of last week after quite a long illness. She was about 65 years of age and is survived by a husband and several children. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. B. Taylor, after which the burial took place at West Fork grave yard.

Mr. Holton Cook, son of Judge T. P. and Mrs. Cook, of Hopkinsville, former residents of this city, was united in marriage Dec. 28th to Miss Marie Kuykendall, of Morgantown, Ky. Mr. Cook is a civil engineer in the employ of the federal government and is a most splendid young gentleman.

HAVE YOU WEAK LUNGS?

Do colds settle on your chest or in your bronchial tubes? Do coughs hang on, or are you subject to throat troubles? Such troubles should have immediate treatment with the strengthening powers of Scott's Emulsion to guard against consumption which so easily follows. Scott's Emulsion contains pure cod liver oil which peculiarly strengthens the respiratory tract and improves the quality of the blood; the glycerine in it soothes and heals the tender membranes of the throat. Scott's is prescribed by the best specialists. You can get it at any drug store. Scott & Bown, Bloomfield, N. J.



January First 1916

IN offering our New Year Greetings we wish you the Best of Health, Good Luck, Much Prosperity and Happiness.

We also thank you for your good trade you have kindly and frequently given us. We trust our "Quality Goods" and "Prompt Service" will merit a continuance of your patronage.

JOE T. PARKER, The Quality Jeweler

Miss Gladys Jones, of Paris, visited here last week.

Miss Geneve Wells visited Mr. and Mrs. Luke Burradell in Paducah during the holidays.

J. Rudy Oury was in Frankfort this week to witness the convening of the legislature.

Mrs. D. M. Wear was the guest of her mother, Mrs. P. H. Cobbs, of Paducah, this week.

Miss Louise Graham was the guest of friends in Paris, Tenn., during the holidays.

C. M. Scruggs, of Owensboro, was in the county the guest of relatives during the holidays.

E. A. Robertson, local agent for the Prudential Life Insurance Co., returned Thursday morning from Louisville where he attended a meeting of state agents of the company.

J. B. Knight and wife, of Salem, Oregon, spent several days during the holidays in the county the guests of relatives. Mrs. Knight was a Miss Witty, of this county, before her marriage, while her husband is one of the largest automobile dealers in the northwest.

Clifford Melugin and wife have returned to Murray to reside. They have been making their home in Jackson, Tenn., for some time. They have rooms with Mrs. Wall on Price street. Mr. Melugin will continue in the railway mail service.

Don't fail to hear the "Carroll Glee" at the opera house Wednesday 12th. This is the next number of the Lyceum Course and we feel no hesitancy in saying one of the very best of the entire course. They come to us highly recommended and we feel sure will give entire satisfaction. Seats on sale at Wear's drug store. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during the illness and death of our dear angel wife and mother, and to Dr. Keys, we all thank him for what he has done. He was always so patient, kind and good, and when sorrow and death comes to your homes may such blessings as we had be with each of you is the prayer of W. L. Cathey and children.

Murray Lodge Elects Officers.

At a meeting of Murray Lodge No. 105 F. & A. M., held Monday night, December 27th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

J. H. Churchill, W. M.; R. T. Wells, S. W.; H. O. Diuguid, J. W.; Joe Lancaster, Secy.; Ben Grögan, treasurer; W. H. Stone, tyler. The appointment of senior and junior deacons will be made at the next regular meeting of the lodge.

LYNN GROVE MILLING CO.

TO OUR PATRONS:—We are squaring up our accounts, and would be glad to let you have the flour that you have here on deposit as soon as you can come after it.

We appreciate your patronage and will continue to give you the best service that we know how to give. Very truly yours, 1634 Lynn Grove Milling Co.

FIVE LYNCHINGS DURING YEAR '15

There were five lynchings in Kentucky in a total of sixty-nine in the country during 1915, according to a report made public by Monroe N. Work, of the Division of Records and research, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama. Of those lynched fifty-five were negroes and fourteen were whites. This is six more negroes and eleven more whites than were put to death by mobs in 1914, when the record was forty-nine negroes and three whites. Included in the record are three women. In at least four instances it later developed that the persons put to death were innocent of the offenses charged, it is declared. Eighteen, or more than one fourth of the total lynchings occurred in the State of Georgia.

Only eleven—ten negroes and one white—of those put to death or 15 per cent. of the total, were charged with rape. Other offenses and number lynched for were: Murder, seventeen (five whites and twelve negroes); killing of officers of the law, nine, (three whites and six negroes); wounding officers of the law, three; clubbing officer of the law, a family of four, father son and two daughters; poisoning mules, three; stealing hogs, two, white; disregarding warnings of night riders, two, white; insulting women, three; entering women's rooms, two; wounding a man, two; stealing meat, one; burglary, two; robbery, one; looting, one; stealing cotton, one; charged with stealing a cow, one; furnishing ammunition to a man resisting arrest, two; beating wife and child, one, white; charged with being accessory to the burning of a barn, one.

Lynchings occurred in the following States: Alabama, nine; Arkansas, five; Florida, five; Georgia, eighteen; Illinois, one; Kentucky, five; Louisiana, two; Mississippi, nine; Missouri, three; Ohio, one; Oklahoma, three; South Carolina, one; Tennessee, two; Texas, five; Virginia, one.

Mrs. Dee Mitchell has been the guest of her parents, John Mc Melan and wife, in Nashville, Tenn., the past ten days.

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Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of **CASTORIA**, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of **Dr. H. H. Fletch** in Use For Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletch's Castoria

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THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH.
You will look ten years younger if you darken your ugly, graying hair by using **"La Croix" Hair Dressing**.—Adv.

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Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if **PAZO OINTMENT** fails to cure itching, bleeding or protruding piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

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No need to dose delicate little stomachs with nauseous drugs or alcoholic syrups. Simply rub a little **Vick's "Vapo-O-Rub"** Salve over the throat and chest. The vapors inhaled loosen the gray hairs, choking phlegm and ease the difficult breathing. One application at bedtime insures a sound night's sleep. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

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HIS LOVE STORY

MARIE VAN VORST

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CHAPTER XXV—Continued.

Sabron could not reply. Her ribs and shoulders and neck were shaking in his eyes like a kaleidoscope. His hand had made him more natural. In his invalid state, with his hair brushed back from his fine brow, there was something spiritual and beautiful about him. The Marquise d'Esclignac looked on a man who had been far and who had determined of his own accord to come back. She said more gently, putting her hand affectionately over his:

"Get strong, monsieur—get well. Eat all the good things we are making for you. I dare say that the army cannot spare you. It needs brave hearts."

Sabron was so agitated after her departure that the nurse said he must receive no more visits for several days, and he meditated and wondered and thought and wondered, and nearly cursed the life that had brought him back to a world which must be lonely for him henceforth.

When he sat up in bed he was a shadow. He had a book to read and read a few lines of it, but he put it down as the letters blurred. He was sitting so, dreaming and wondering how true or how false it was that he had seen Julia Redmond come several times to his bedside during the early days of his illness here in the hospital. Then across his troubled mind suddenly came the words that he had heard her sing, and he tried to recall them. The Red Cross nurse who so charitably sang in the hospital came to the wards and began her mission. One after another she sang familiar songs.

"How the poor devils must love it!" Sabron thought, and he blessed her for charity.

How familiar was her voice! But that was only because he was so ill. But he began to wonder and to doubt, and across the distance came the notes of the tune, the melody of the song that had haunted him for many months:

God keep you safe, my love,
All through the night;
Rest close in his encircling arms
Until the light.
My heart is with you as I kneel to pray,
Good night! God keep you in his care
Always.

Thick shadows creep like silent ghosts
About my head,
I lose myself in tender dreams
While overhead
The moon comes stealing through the
window-pane,
A silver sickle gleaming 'mid the stars.

For though I am far away,
To trust you just, dear love—and yet,
The night is long, and I am lonely,
I say with sobbing breath the old fond
prayer,
Good night! Sweet dreams! God keep
you everywhere!

When she had finished singing there were tears on the soldier's cheeks and he was not ashamed. Pichoune, who remembered the tune as well, crept up to him and laid his head on his master's hand. Sabron had then the Duc de Tremont came in.

"Old fellow, do you feel up to seeing Miss Redmond for a few moments?"

When she came in he did not know whether he most clearly saw her simple summer dress with the single jewel at her throat, her large hat that framed her face, or the gentle lovely face all sweetness and sympathy. He believed her to be the future Duchesse de Tremont.

"Monsieur de Sabron, we are all so glad you are getting well."

"Thank you, Mademoiselle." He seemed to look at her from a great distance, from the distance to the end of which he had so wearily been traveling. She was lovelier than he had dreamed, more rarely sweet and adorable.

"Did you recognize the little song, Monsieur?"

"It was good of you to sing it." "This is not the first time I have seen you, Monsieur de Sabron. I came when you were too ill to know of it."

"Then I did not dream," said the officer simply.

He was as proud as he was poor. He could only suppose her engaged to the Duc de Tremont. It explained her presence here. In his wildest dreams he could not suppose that she had followed him to Africa. Julia, on her part, having done an extraordinary and wonderful thing, like every brave woman, was seized with terror and a sudden cowardice. Sabron, after all, was a stranger. How could she know his feelings for her? She spent a miserable day. He was out of all danger. In a fortnight he might leave the hospital. She did not feel that she could see him again as things were. The Comtesse de la Maine had returned to Paris as soon as Tremont came in from the desert.

"The Marquise d'Esclignac," said Julia Redmond to the Marquise d'Esclignac, "can we go back to France immediately?"

"My dear Julia!" exclaimed her

aunt, in surprise and delight. "Robert will be enchanted, but he would not be able to leave his friend so soon."

"He need not," said the girl, "nor need you leave unless you wish."

The Marquise d'Esclignac entertained a thousand thoughts. She had not studied young girl's minds for a long time. She had heard that the modern American girl was very extreme and she held her in rather light esteem. Julia Redmond she had considered to be out of the general rule. "Was it possible," she wondered, "that Julia, in comparing Tremont with the invalid, found Robert more attractive?"

"Julia," she said severely, as though her niece were a child, pointing to a chair, "sit down."

Slightly smiling, the young girl obeyed her aunt.

"My dear, I have followed your caprices from France to Africa. Only by pleading heart-failure and mortal illness could I dissuade you from going into the desert with the caravan. Now, without any apparent reason, you wish to return to France."

"The reason for coming here has been accomplished, ma tante. Monsieur de Sabron has been found."

"And now that you have found him," said the marquise reproachfully, "and you discover that he is not all your romantic fancy imagined, you are going to run away from him. In short, you mean to throw him over."

"Throw him over, ma tante!" murmured the girl. "I have never had the chance. Between Monsieur de Sabron and myself there is only friendship."

"Fiddlesticks!" said the Marquise d'Esclignac impatiently. "I have no understanding of the modern young

girl. She makes her own marriages and her subsequent divorces. I am for Tremont, my dear, your mother's sister, and a woman of at least twenty-five years' more experience than you have."

Julia was not following her aunt's train of thought, but her own. She felt the hint of authority and bondage in her aunt's tone and repeated:

"I wish to leave Algiers tomorrow."

"You shall do so," said her aunt. "I am rejoiced to get out of the Orient. It is late to order my dresses here of Trouville, but I can manage. Before we go, however, my dear, I want you to make me a promise."

"A promise, ma tante?" The girl's tone implied that she did not think she would give it.

"You have played the part of fate in the life of this young man, who, I find, is a charming and brave man. Now you must stand by your guns, my dear Julia."

"Why, how do you mean, ma tante?"

"You will go to Paris and the Capitaine de Sabron will get well rapidly. He will follow you, and if it were not for Tremont, myself, your Red Cross Society and the presence here of Madame de la Maine, you would have been very much compromised. But never mind," said the Marquise d'Esclignac magnificently, "my name is sufficient protection for my niece. I am thinking solely of the poor young man."

"Of Monsieur de Sabron?"

"Of course," said the Marquise d'Esclignac tartly. "Did you think I meant Robert? You have so well arranged his life for him, my dear."

"Ma tante," pleaded the girl. The marquise was merciless.

"I want you to promise me, Julia, before you sail for home, that if Sabron follows us and makes you understand that he loves you, as he will, that you will accept him."

Julia Redmond looked at the Marquise d'Esclignac in astonishment. She half laughed and she half cried:

"You want me to promise?"

"I do," said her aunt firmly, regarding her niece through her lorgnon.

"In the first place the affair is entirely unconventional and has been since we left France. It is I who should speak to the Capitaine de Sabron. You are so extremely rich that it will be a difficult matter for a poor and honorable young man."

Indeed, my dear, I may as well tell you that I shall do so when we reach home."

"Oh," said the girl, turning perfectly pale and stepping forward toward her aunt, "if you consider such a thing I shall leave for America at once."

The Marquise d'Esclignac gave a petulant sigh.

"How impossible you are, Julia. Understand me, my dear, I do not want a woman of my family to be a coquette. I do not want it said that you are an American flirt—it is in bad taste and entirely misunderstood in the Faubourg St. Germain."

The girl, bewildered by her aunt's attitude and extremely troubled by the threat of the marriage convention, said:

"Don't you understand? In this case it is peculiarly delicate. He might ask me from a sense of honor."

"Not in any sense," said the Marquise d'Esclignac. "It has not occurred to the poor young officer to suppose for a moment that a young woman with millions, as you are so fortunate to be, would deign to marry a poor fellow like this. If I believe that you love him, no doubt, you have given him sufficient reason, heaven knows! Now," said her aunt emphatically, "I do not intend that you should break his heart."

It was more than likely that the Marquise d'Esclignac was looking back twenty-five years to a time, when as a rich American, she had put aside her love for a penniless soldier with an insignificant title. She remembered how she had followed her campaign. She folded her lorgnon around her and kissed her tenderly.

"You really think then, ma tante, that he will come to Paris?"

"Without a doubt, my dear."

"You think he cares, ma tante?" Her aunt kissed her and laughed.

"I think you will be happy to see your georgie extent. He is a fine man."

"But do I need to promise you?" asked the girl. "Don't you know me?"

"I shall be perfectly ashamed of you," said the Marquise d'Esclignac. "If you are anything but a woman of heart and decision in this matter."

Evidently she waited, and Julia Redmond, slightly bowing her lovely head in deference to the older lady who had not married her first love, said obediently:

"I promise to do as you wish, ma tante."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

WOMAN THE HOME BUILDER

Undoubtedly the Chief Trade in Which Females of the Country Are Engaged.

Yes, of course, it is homemaking. Everybody knows that, but the figures for it, compiled by the United States Board of Education and statisticians, are worth noting. Of the 31,000,000 females over ten years of age in the United States 24,000,000 are engaged in homemaking. Girls may be entering more and more into other trades, but in the last analysis they generally fall back or advance to the rank of homemakers.

Hence, says the Federal Education board, the importance of giving special attention to scientific cooking in the vocational schools. The girl's hope of being able to hire a cook is apt to be disappointed as frequently as the hope of keeping one when she is hired. It is one of the oddest things of life that cooking, the preparation of the food that sustains life, the art that can waste or economize in the chief item of family expenditures, is so largely left to be picked up as best it may be without serious consideration or training. If the woeful waste resulting from amateur cookery could be computed in dollars and cents it would rival the war bills of Europe. If the indigestion, dyspepsia and kindred physical disturbances caused by incapable cooks could be tabulated they would dwarf the list of killed, missing and wounded.

Lost Hand Digging Grave.

Grave digging is not an extra hazardous occupation, even though in excavating graves it is necessary to use dynamite to break hardpan, the industrial insurance department has decided. The department rejected the claim of John Borgford, a Seattle sexton, whose left hand was partly blown off by a dynamite cap.

Although use of explosives generally makes a class extra hazardous, the general occupation of grave digging is such a peaceful one that exception cannot be made when blasting is necessary, the commission holds.—Olympia (Wash.) Dispatch to the Portland Ore. gonian.

Flag for New York City.

The board of aldermen adopted a flag for the city of New York—three perpendicular bars of blue, white and orange, which were the colors of the Dutch flag used when New York was New Netherlands. The board also adopted a new city seal, which will appear in blue on the white bar of the city hall on June 12, the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the establishment of the board of aldermen.

CALOMEL IS MERCURY, IT SICKENS! STOP USING SALIVATING DRUG

Don't Lose a Day's Work! If Your Liver Is Sluggish or Bowels Constipated Take "Dodson's Liver Tonic"—It's Fine!

You're bilious! Your liver is sluggish! You feel lazy, dizzy and all knocked out. Your head is dull, your tongue is coated, breath bad, stomach sour and bowels constipated. But don't take salivating calomel. It makes you sick, you may lose a day's work. Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crabs into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tonic. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your

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"Griggs is throwing his money away right and left since he made that killing in war stocks."
"I don't blame him. That's the best way to make sure that Wall Street won't get it all back again."

GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HER GRAY HAIR

She Made Up a Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to Bring Back Color, Gloss, Thickness.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also cures dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any store for "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of the famous old recipe for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it, and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy.—Adv.

Bad Debt.
"The world owes me a living."
"Maybe it does, my boy, but you'll have to hustle like blazes to collect it."

AVOID A DOCTOR'S BILL
on the first of the month by taking now a bottle of Mansfield Cough Balm for that hacking, hollow cough. Price 25c and 50c.—Adv.

Indianapolis, Ind., has a population of 265,574, according to the latest census estimates.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Josef Hofmann, the pianist, earns \$2,500 an hour.

Not Worth Envy.
In the United States 174 persons have incomes of more than half a million dollars a year. Probably not one of these could eat half a pumpkin pie without regretting it.—New York Mail.

Sometimes Apply It Lightly.
For cuts, burns, scalds, sores and open wounds always apply Hanford's Balsam lightly, but be sure that it covers and gets to the bottom of the wound. A few light applications are generally all that is needed to heal this class of difficulties. Adv.

The man who goes out between the acts may come in with a smile—but you can't always get it.

Spartan Women Suffered Untold Tortures but who wants to be a Spartan? Take "Femenina" for all female disorders. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Cupid can see a silver lining of a dark cloud.

ANURIC!

The Newest Discovery in Chemistry

This is a recent discovery of Dr. Pierce, who is head of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y. Experiments at Dr. Pierce's Hospital for several years proved that there is no other eliminator of uric acid that can be compared to it. For those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as backache, scalding urine and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, it is simply wonderful how surely "Anuric" acts. The best of results are always obtained in cases of acute rheumatism in the joints, in gravel and gout, and invariably the pains and stiffness which so frequently and persistently accompany the disease rapidly disappear.

Go to your nearest drug store and

simply ask for a 50-cent package of "Anuric" manufactured by Dr. Pierce, or even write Dr. Pierce for a large trial package (10c). If you suspect kidney or bladder trouble, send him a sample of your water and describe symptoms. Dr. Pierce's chemist will examine it, then Dr. Pierce will report to you without fee or charge.

NOTE—"Anuric" is thirty-seven times more active than lithia in eliminating uric acid, and is a harmless but reliable chemical compound that may be safely given to children, but should be used only by grown-ups who actually wish to restore their kidneys to perfect health, by conscientiously using one box—or more in extreme cases—as "Anuric" (thanks to Dr. Pierce's achievement) is by far the most perfect kidney and bladder corrector obtainable.

All have declared—Rheumatism is Pain.

Sloan's Liniment applied—
The blood begins to flow freely—the body's warmth is renewed—the congestion disappears—the pain is gone.

Sloan's Liniment

KILLS PAIN (GUARANTEED)

Rheumatism and allied pains yield to the penetrating qualities of this warming liniment.

How is rheumatism recognized? Some have said—
Rheumatism is a dull pain.
Rheumatism is a sharp pain.
Rheumatism is sore muscles.
Rheumatism is stiff joints.
Rheumatism is a shifting pain.

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SICKENS!
LIVATING DRUGSluggish or Bowels
One—It's Fine!Better than a dose of
and that it won't make

Liver Tonic is real liver
You'll know it next morn-
ing you'll wake up feeling
better than ever, your
stomach will be working, your
dizziness gone, your
headache and your bowels
will feel like working;
cheerful, full of vigor and

Liver Tonic is entirely
harmless and can-
give it to your children.
People are using Dose's
instead of dangerous cal-
your druggist will tell you
of colic is almost
tired here.

Just for the Trip.
and Freddie is a potential
ader."

Do you mean by that?
are invited to go along with
paid, he'd accept the invi-
tations of whether peace
or not."

TO WORK—KIDNEY
DUBLE OVERCOME

to certify that I, Jerome H.
of 317 Ivy Street, Johnson
City, Tenn., suffered from Congestion
of the kidneys, so that at times I was
unable to move about the house with-
out a chair and unable to work
more than a few hours at a time.
I tried all kinds of medicine, but
it was the best Kidney
Cure.

Very truly yours,
J. H. McCORMACK,
Johnson City, Tenn.
and subscribed to before me a
true and correct copy of the
above, this March 31st, 1914.
SAM T. MILLARD,
Notary Public for the State of Tennessee.

Swamp-Root Will Do For You
in cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co.,
N. Y., for a sample size bot-
tle will convince anyone. You will
find a booklet of valuable infor-
mation about the kidneys and men-
tioning the name of Dr. Kilmer & Co.
Regular fifty-cent and one-
dollar bottles for sale at all drug
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Woman who goes out between the
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I always see it.

Women Suffered Untold Tortures
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Everyone Should
Drink Hot Water
in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liv-
er, and bowel poisons be-
fore breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day
out, to feel clean inside, no sour bile
to coat your tongue and sicken your
breath or dull your head; no constipa-
tion, bilious attacks, sick headache,
colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stom-
ach, you must bathe on the inside like
you bathe outside. This is vastly
more important, because the skin
pores do not absorb impurities into
the blood, while the bowel pores do,
says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins
well flushed from the stomach, liver,
kidneys and bowels, drink before
breakfast each day, a glass of hot wa-
ter with a teaspoonful of limestone
phosphate in it. This will cleanse,
purify and freshen the entire alimen-
tary tract, before putting more food
into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone
phosphate from your druggist or at
the store. It is inexpensive and al-
most tasteless, except a sourish
taste which is not unpleasant. Drink
phosphated hot water every morning
to rid your system of these vile poi-
sons and toxins; also to prevent their
formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like
you felt before your blood, nerves and
muscles became saturated with an ac-
cumulation of body poisons, begin this
treatment and above all, keep it up!
As soap and hot water act on the skin,
cleansing, sweetening and purifying,
so limestone phosphate and hot water
before breakfast, act on the stomach,
liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

The Other Species.

"That girl I love is the pink of per-
fection."
"Oh, yes, the pink of perfection in
families would be all right if it wasn't
for the popples in the same."

FALLING HAIR MEANS
DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25-Cent Bottle
of Danderine Right Now—Also
Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy
hair is mute evidence of a neglected
scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to
the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair
of its luster, its strength and its very
life; eventually producing a feverish-
ness and itching of the scalp, which
if not remedied causes the hair roots
to shrink, loosen and die—then the
hair falls out fast. A little Danderine
tonight—now—any time—will surely
save your hair.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's
Danderine from any store, and after
the first application your hair will
take on that life, luster and luxuriance
which is so beautiful. It will become
wavy and fluffy and have the appear-
ance of abundance; an incomparable
gloss and softness, but what will
please you most will be after just a
few weeks' use, when you will actual-
ly see a lot of fine, downy hair—new
hair—growing all over the scalp. Adv.

It isn't necessary for a woman to be
an artist to draw men's attention. A
perky feather will answer.

INDIGESTION, GAS
OR SICK STOMACH

Time it! Pape's Diapiesin ends
all Stomach misery in five
minutes.

Do some foods you eat hit back—
taste good, but work badly; ferment
into stubborn lumps and cause a sick,
sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or
Mrs. Diapiesin, for this downy Pape's
Diapiesin digests everything, leaving
nothing to sour and upset you. There
never was anything so safely quick, so
certainly effective. No difference how
badly your stomach is disordered you
will get happy relief in five minutes,
but what pleases you most is that it
strengthens and regulates your stom-
ach so you can eat your favorite foods
without fear.

You feel different as soon as "Pape's
Diapiesin" comes in contact with the
stomach—distress just vanishes—your
stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belch-
ing, no eructations of undigested food.
Go now, make the best investment
you ever made, by getting a large fifty-
cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any
store. You realize in five minutes how
needless it is to suffer from indiges-
tion, dyspepsia or bad stomach. Adv.

Credes seem to have been prepared
to suit the natural inclinations of
those who embrace them.

For frobitives use Hanford's Bal-
sam. Adv.

There are 1,400,000 cattle in Cen-

IMPROVE STATE
INSTITUTIONS

LEGISLATURE WILL BE ASKED
TO APPROPRIATE TWO HUN-
DRED THOUSAND.

CODIFICATION IS PLANNED

Educators Will Ask Legislature for
Improvement in School
Laws of State.

(Special Frankfort Correspondence.)

Frankfort, Ky.—The incoming legis-
lature will be asked to appropriate at
least \$200,000 for improvements need-
ed at two of the three state hospitals
and at the Feeble-minded Institute.

At the Eastern State Hospital in Lex-
ington two buildings for negro men
and women are needed, and it is es-
timated that the cost will be in the
neighborhood of \$80,000. A concrete
dining-room with a seating capacity
for 1,000 patients is needed and will
cost \$50,000. An appropriation of
\$7,000 for the installation of new
stokers in the powerhouse at that hos-
pital will also be asked.

A concrete dining-room and a new
kitchen are needed at the Lakeland
Hospital. The Board of Control es-
timates that an appropriation of \$50,000
will cover that need. An appropri-
ation of \$15,000 will be asked to erect
a sewerage purification plant at the
Lakeland Hospital.

At least \$18,000 is needed for im-
provement at the Feeble-minded In-
stitute. If this appropriation is made
the board will use \$5,000 for the con-
struction of an adequate water supply,
\$3,000 for a building for the tubercular
and pellagic patients, \$5,000 for a
building for untidy and helpless chil-
dren, \$3,000 for fire escapes and \$2,500
increase in the annual appropriation to
the institution.

Codification Planned.

A codification of the school laws of
this state to be presented to the legis-
lature for enactment is being pre-
pared by T. J. Coates, rural school su-
pervisor. Prof. Coates was selected
for this work because of his familiar-
ity with the school laws of the state,
and he has been aided in the work by
Attorney General Garnett and his as-
sistants.

The codification was agreed upon
at a conference called by Superintendent
of Public Instruction-elect, V. O.
Gilbert. Present at the conference
were President H. C. Barker, of State
University; President J. G. Grabbe,
of the Eastern Normal School; President
H. H. Cherry, of the Western Normal
School; Dr. M. B. Adams, president
of Georgetown College; McHenry
Rhodes, supervisor of city schools,
and T. J. Coates, rural school super-
visor. As a result of the meeting
President Barker, Prof. Rhodes and
Prof. Coates were selected as a com-
mittee to codify the laws and the com-
mittee designated Prof. Coates to do
the work.

In 1893 the school laws of the state
were enacted to comply with the new
constitution, and since then they have
been amended at every session of the
legislature. In 1908 the Sullivan
School Bill was enacted repealing
much of the original act of 1893. On
account of the various amendments to
the school laws much confusion has
arisen, and in order to have a com-
plete school law it was decided to have
the laws codified. In codifying the
laws Prof. Coates will try to eliminate
all statutes that are in conflict or parts
of statutes that have been repealed by
the various amendments to the school
laws.

Enjoy Services.

The service held at the Frankfort
Reformatory by the women of the
Woman's Christian Temperance Union
was heartily enjoyed by the men and
women of the prison, according to Mrs.
Frances E. Beauchamp and Mrs. Julia
Gunn. The discipline and order man-
ifested in the audience was a well de-
served tribute to the management of
the institution. Among those taking
part in the services were the Rev.
Taliaferro, of Frankfort; Mrs. Marvin
Maus, wife of Colonel Maus, of the U.
S. A., retired, and now state represen-
tative of the Anti-Tuberculosis Asso-
ciation; the present chaplain, Vree-
land, and former chaplain, Severance;
Mrs. N. R. Day, of Frankfort; Mrs.
Anna B. Wheeler, of Shelbyville, cor-
responding secretary of the State
Woman's Christian Temperance
union; Mrs. Julia Gunn, vice president
of the Woman's Christian Temperance
Union, and Mrs. Francis E. Beau-
champ, state president, who made the
chief address of the day. Mrs. Beau-
champ has watched the transforma-
tion that has taken place in the prison
in the last twenty years, having made
a study of prison reform work through-
out the country.

Proposed Legislation.

The General Assembly will meet on
January 4, and up to the present time
there has been comparatively little
publicity given to proposed construc-
tive legislation. There has been no an-
nouncement of the preparation of any
tax reform bills, and the possibility of
an extra session for this purpose
seems to be gaining ground. The re-
port of Lawrence Finn to the govern-
or urging the governor's indorse-
ment to the Finn bill, which failed to
pass the last two sessions, is the chief
indication of what it may include.

Insurance Report Submitted.

M. C. Clay, insurance commissioner,
submitted to State Auditor Bosworth
part two of the forty-fifth annual re-
port of the Insurance Department, giv-
ing the business of life accident, fire,
surety and miscellaneous insur-
ance companies in this state for the
year ending December 31, 1914.

The report includes statistical ta-
bles, giving summaries, showing the
business of the legal life insurance
companies. These tables include the
data setting forth the assets, liabili-
ties, income, disbursements, exhibits
of policies, policies issued and the
mode of termination, and business
done in Kentucky; also abstracts of
the following burial associations:
Bourbon County Burial Association,
Paris, Ky.; Green River Mutual Burial
Association, Calhoun, Ky.; Kenton and
Campbell County Benevolent Burial
Association, Newport, Ky.; Kentucky
Mutual Burial and Benefit Association,
Cynthiana, Ky.; Mutual Assessment
Burial Association, Owensboro, Ky.;
National Co-operative Burial Asso-
ciation, Owensboro, Ky.; Newport Benev-
olent Burial Association, Newport, Ky.

Appropriation Is Desired.

If the appropriation to be asked of
the Kentucky Legislature is granted
an oculist to be employed under Dr.
John McMullen, of the United States
Public Health Service, headquarters
at Lexington, and the State Board of
Health, and will find his work in the
counties where no trained oculist
at present is located. He will hold
clinics, perform light operations, and
do other work which Dr. McMullen,
because of the width of his field, is
unable to accomplish.

As an example to set before the
legislature at its approaching session
a party under Dr. McMullen and Dr.
J. N. McCormack, president of the
State Board of Health, went to Green-
ville, Muhlenburg county, and set up
a large clinic. Accompanying them
was Dr. McMullen's head nurse, Miss
Mae Hicks, Miss Linda Neville and Dr.
Bailey, of Madisonville. They went to
Muhlenburg county at the joint invi-
tation of the fiscal court and the trained
nurse who has been employed there
for the past three months. Unusual
instances of trachoma and slight defec-
tion has been found at Greenville.

State Hotel Act.

Although he did not consider that
the report of the December grand
jury, which scored hotels for not pro-
viding guests with adequate protection
against fire, was in any sense a criti-
cism of his department, Building In-
spector W. A. G. Sullivan, when asked
what Louisville was doing to remedy
the evil which the grand jury reported
existed, said:

"Every city ordinance applying to
hotels is being enforced by the build-
ing department. All that is called for
in these ordinances is that every hotel
two or more stories high shall have a
fire escape. Hotels coming within the
meaning of the ordinance are so equip-
ped. Some of these fire escapes are on
the outside and in the newer hotels
are in the shape of stairways inside
the building inclosed in fireproof
walls."

"The state hotel act requires a num-
ber of safeguards, such as knotted
ropes in every room, fire extinguishers
and other safety appliances. There is
no city law requiring these things and
the enforcement of the state act does
not come within my jurisdiction."

Annual Report.

The annual report of the Bureau of
Animal Industry of the Department of
Agriculture, states that satisfactory
progress has been made during the
year in the work of eradicating a num-
ber of animal diseases. In addition to
stamping out the foot-and-mouth dis-
ease, much was done in the South to-
ward the elimination of the cattle tick,
and in the West the eradication of
scabies of sheep and cattle has been
brought nearer to completion. In re-
gard to the eradication of the cattle
tick, the report states that as the work
progresses and its benefits become more
apparent it is being more heartily sup-
ported and pushed by the people. In
the territory already freed of ticks,
which, including the area freed since
the beginning of the current fiscal
year, is now more than one-third of
that formerly quarantined, work is
being done for the building up of the
beef cattle and dairy industries.

Entered in Rockefeller Stakes.

Robert H. Reese, first assistant high-
way engineer in the state road depart-
ment, who tendered his resignation
some time ago to Rome, a Commissioner
Terrell, left to assume a responsible
position in the road department of the
Standard Oil Company. Mr. Reese
will make his headquarters at Louis-
ville but, as he put it, his territory has
no limit.

Named Assistant.

Col. J. J. Henry has been appoint-
ed assistant adjutant general, effective
January 1. J. J. Henry was named
adjutant general recently. James S.
McClure, Paris; Isaac M. Dunn, of
Danville, and Allie W. Young, of More-
head, were named colonels on the gov-
ernor's staff.

Land Slides.

Extensive land slides along the Ken-
tucky river banks, following the re-
ceding of the high waters, are endan-
gering property at various points in
and near the city. The most serious
situation is in the rear of the city
school building on West Second
street. The river bank at this point
has given way for a distance of about
three hundred feet. The heaviest
slide, directly behind the heating plant
in the school yard, carried down sev-
eral trees and undermined the school
yard fence.

It's easier for a woman to fool any
man than it is to keep him fooled.

Dr. Pierce's Pills are best for liver,
bowels and stomach. One little Pill for
a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

A frenzied financier—one who can
borrow money from a bill collector.

Pneumonia? Apply Hanford's Bal-
sam. Rub it on and rub it in thor-
oughly, until the skin is irritated.
Adv.

The man who plays cards for fun
may get it—but the other fellow gets
the money.

PROMPT RELIEF
can be found in cases of Colds, Coughs,
LaGrippe and Headaches by using
Laxative Quinine Tablets. Does not
affect the head or stomach. Buy your
water's supply now. Price 25c.—Adv.

About 25,000 incandescent lamp fil-
aments can be made from one pound of
tungsten.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic
Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless
chill Tonic is equally valuable as a
General Tonic because it contains the well
known tonic properties of QUININE and
IRON. It acts on the liver, drives out
Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds
up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Even a botanist may not be able to
recognize a blooming idiot when he
sees one.

CARE FOR YOUR HAIR

Frequent Shampoo With Cuticura
Soap Will Help You. Trial Free.

Precede shampoo by touches of Cu-
ticura Ointment if needed to spots
of dandruff, itching and irritation of
the scalp. Nothing better for the com-
plexion, hair, hands or skin than
these super-creamy emollients. Also
as preparations for the toilet.
Free sample each by mail with Book.
Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L,
Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

She Didn't Smile.

The young woman had spent a busy
day.

She had browbeaten 14 salespeople,
bullied a floorwalker, argued vic-
toriously with a milliner, laid down
the law to a modiste, nipped in the bud
a taxi chauffeur's attempt to over-
charge her, made a street car conduc-
tor stop the car in the middle of a
block for her, discharged her maid and
engaged another, and otherwise re-
fused to allow herself to be imposed
upon.

Yet she did not smile that night
when a young man begged:

"Let me be your protector through
life!"

British Official Organ.

The London Gazette is not quoted
for its opinions. Probably few peo-
ple out of England have heard of it,
and yet it is one of the oldest of En-
glish newspapers, and in staid fashion
is just now celebrating its two hun-
dred and fiftieth anniversary. It is
the official organ of the British gov-
ernment, devoted solely to the pub-
lication of government announce-
ments. Usually it appears only twice
a week, on Tuesday and Friday. In
these war times "extras" are often re-
quired. It contains the official lists
of the killed and wounded, the names
of those mentioned in dispatches, the
record of promotions and such in-
formation as is now eagerly sought.
Its regular editions sell for a shilling
each—24 cents. Its "extras" for
four pence—eight cents.

Madam, Allow Me
To Introduce the
New
Post Toasties

You may have eaten "corn flakes"
but you have never tasted any that
equal the New Post Toasties.

These new flakes, madam, are
crisp and flakey, and have a substance
and toasty flavour, a snap and zest that
make them distinctive.

Dainty to be sure in their sweetness, the New Post Toasties have a
body and firmness that don't mush down when cream or milk is added;
and a true ripe-corn flavour that makes one feel that here, at last, is
something really new and good to eat.

New Post Toasties—selected Indian corn, prepared for the table as
it was never prepared before.

Your grocer has them now.

Buy and Try and Smile Awhile



FREE ONEIDA COMMUNITY PAR PLATE SILVERWARE

Save the Trade-Mark Signature From

SKINNER'S

Macaroni and Spaghetti Products

and get a complete set of Oneida Community Par Plate Silverware free. Guaranteed 10 years. Beautiful Bridal Wreath pattern. Send us the coupon below and we will tell you all about it.

Nine Kinds Skinner's Products

1 Macaroni	4 Cut Macaroni	7 Soup Rins
1 Spaghetti	5 Cut Spaghetti	8 Alphabet
2 Egg Noodles	6 Elbows	9 Vermicelli

These delicious foods can be prepared 58 different ways to take the place of high-priced meat dishes. An economical, hearty food, perfectly balanced.

Skinner's Macaroni Products are made from the finest durum wheat, in the largest and cleanest macaroni factory in America.

Get a complete set of Oneida Community Par Plate Silverware with Skinner's Macaroni Products. Send the coupon for full details. No obligation whatever. In the meantime buy Skinner's products at your grocer's (cheaper if you get them by the case—24 packages) and save the full information how I can obtain Oneida Community Par Plate Silverware FREE with Skinner's Macaroni Products.

Skinner Mfg. Co.
Largest Macaroni Factory in America
Dept. D
Omaha, Neb.

Name.....
Address.....
Town..... State.....

DADDY IS STILL COGITATING

Precocious Youngster Asked Question Which Couldn't Be Answered "Right Off the Bat."

When Auditor of State Vic Donahay and six of his ten children had returned from Sunday school he tried the children out on the lesson, which had been about Noah and the Ark. He impressed on their minds that of all the inhabitants of the earth, human, creeping and otherwise, all save those which had taken refuge on the Ark had perished in the flood. There was nothing living at all except what was on the Ark, he told the children. The waters had drowned out all life.

"Say, dad," inquired one of the youngsters, who is especially precocious, "did the fishes in the water die, too?"

This was a poser for the auditor. He told the lad that he would answer the question later. Answering questions right off the bat is one of the accomplishments of the auditor, but the one the boy asked stumped him.—Columbus Dispatch.

Modest Petition.

In a deeply religious family of Elgin, the eight-year-old son had been taught to ask a blessing at the table.

One afternoon there were a number of women asked to luncheon, and the kiddie, being a bit embarrassed, made the following brief petition:

"Oh, Lord, forgive us for this food."

Whatever is ignorant is vulgar.

PARSON HAD GOT HIS OWN

Retribution Overtook Mr. Fowler and That Gentleman Was Consequently by No Means Pleased.

Little things can be very trying at times, Mr. Fowler thought, when one wet morning he could not find his umbrella. Like many married men, he believed in the maxim, "When in trouble blame your wife."

"I say, Ella," he shouted, "what on earth has happened to my new umbrella? I bought it home last night and now it's gone; and, of course, it's raining furiously!"

"Why, it's scarcely raining at all!" said his wife. "But last night it was simply pouring when the parson left and so I lent him your umbrella!"

"What an asinine thing to do! I shall never see it again now, so I may as well buy another today!"

"How can you be so wicked, Adolphus? As if the parson would stoop to stealing your umbrella?"

"Stoop to stealing it be hanged! I borrowed it from him a couple of months ago!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Oh, Very Well!

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"Grip" Epidemic Serious.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Influenza, commonly called "the grippe," is spreading over the United States from coast to coast in the most serious epidemic ever known, taking a large toll in lives and causing economic loss by incapacitating workers in all walks of life. Reports from public health service office, made public tonight by Surgeon General Blue, show that already

the disease has caused a grave problem for many of the large cities and is spreading to the rural communities.

New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, San Francisco, Seattle, Cleveland and Detroit reported the disease widely prevalent. Cleveland and Detroit each have probably 100,000 cases. Of the larger cities Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Baltimore, San Diego, Dallas and Mobile reported no signs of the epidemic.

There is practically nothing the federal government can do toward aiding in suppression of the epidemic. It must be dealt with by local authorities, and they in turn, it is explained, are almost helpless without co-operation from the public. Surgeon General Blue said to night he had called for reports from all parts of the country with the hope that publicity would tend to stimulate this co-operation.

Oldest Inmate.

John J. West, aged 98, the oldest inmate of the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley, died Jan. 1. He was not a soldier, but was classed as a veteran on account of having been a special agent of the Confederacy.

Artie Hale and wife, of Ballard county, were in the city the past week the guest of relatives.

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Home Town Building.

We of the country towns and villages are competing directly with the city. We are competing for trade and for population. Competition enters into every branch and every phase of our daily life. Sad to relate, some of us are not even aware that competition exists.

Country population is dwindling slowly and surely. Country business is decreasing. The city sends us its products gathered from many sources and takes in exchange our dollars and our boys and girls.

Genuine frankness and honesty compels the admission that there is a lot of wholesome sentiment about our town. Unfortunately it is idle, unproductive sentiment that has not been harnessed to anything and is not getting us anywhere.

Some of us are inclined to believe the town derives much of its importance from the fact that we live in it. We do not, therefore, care to see it slide any further back in the scale of the things that are important and worth while; we want our merchants to prosper, if they can; we do not want our boys and girls to leave the old town, but we just naturally balk when it comes to doing anything that will keep them at home.

If we stammer this whole question down and eliminate false pride and false thinking, it means our present idea is we do not want things to change. We want the old dusty streets, the weatherbeaten buildings, the old-fashioned stores with their old-fashioned methods; we want this paper to continue to appear regularly with its list of local happenings—that is, we seem to want them, for we put up with them without protest. We do not relish being called "jays" or "mossbacks," and keenly resent the liberties some people take with our feelings.

Our resentment is ineffectual, our displeasure is mild and self-contained. It never has reached the point where it causes us to go out of our way of living and thinking to effect a real change.

We do not like the assumption, the sleekness or the assurance of the stranger within our gates. We express our dislike by privately labeling him "smarty" or "sharper," or "city feller," and the next day we all go to the station to bid good-bye to one or more of our brightest boys or girls.

In our mild way we wonder why they are leaving, why the old town could not hold them. We do not realize that we have not met the competition of the big city, that its bright lights, amusements, recreations and greater opportunities are competing with our dark streets, our dull routine, our lack of something to do.

A great many of our personal

beliefs, our small prejudices, our petty opinions and other traits that are worse than valueless to us are slated for the discard. Some morning we will witness the dawn of a day of better things, and then we shall pile our accumulation of useless ways of thinking and useless habits in a great heap and they will be consumed with the fire of better understanding.

The time is coming just as surely as the dawn of tomorrow. The change itself should come tomorrow, for the time is ripe. Each day of delay means just so much more ground to be recovered later with great labor and the expenditure of thought and money.

When our boys and girls leave home they do not expect to find more of love, or friendship, or understanding, but they do expect and will find more of the modern things that serve to stimulate interest in life and contribute to our enjoyment of it. They are seeking a try at the bigger things and are doing so because our town is poky, dull, slow, because it does not typify that which is modern, interesting and instructive.

It is time we awoke from our day dream. It is time we quit hoping for things without working for them, time we quit thinking one way and acting another. We pretend to distrust the city, to deride the new ways, but we very calmly adopt them when we fancy it is to our profit to adopt them.

We send our good money to the cities for goods that are alluringly advertised and disregard the same wares our merchants carry on their shelves. We tell our young people they should stay on the farm or in the village, then calmly leave them to their own devices to find amusement, recreation, employment and means of social intercourse.

And the city reaches out a beckoning hand and draws them away from us.

Our town may never rival Chicago, New York or London, but it can be made one of the very best places in the world in which to live, if—and it is a big if—we modernize our ways of thinking and our ways of doing things. Just becoming a little bit more liberal in thought will not suffice; we must be liberal in action, liberal in giving and liberal in taking.

We have our churches, our clubs and our cliques and we cling and cleave to them, not realizing there is something infinitely bigger and better that we are neglecting. The collective WE of this community is democracy itself on trial. We need and must have a communal social life, a social and business center of enterprise about which we can revolve.

If we put such a plan in operation some of our old fogey notions must go by the board.

Are you willing to let them go?

How's This.

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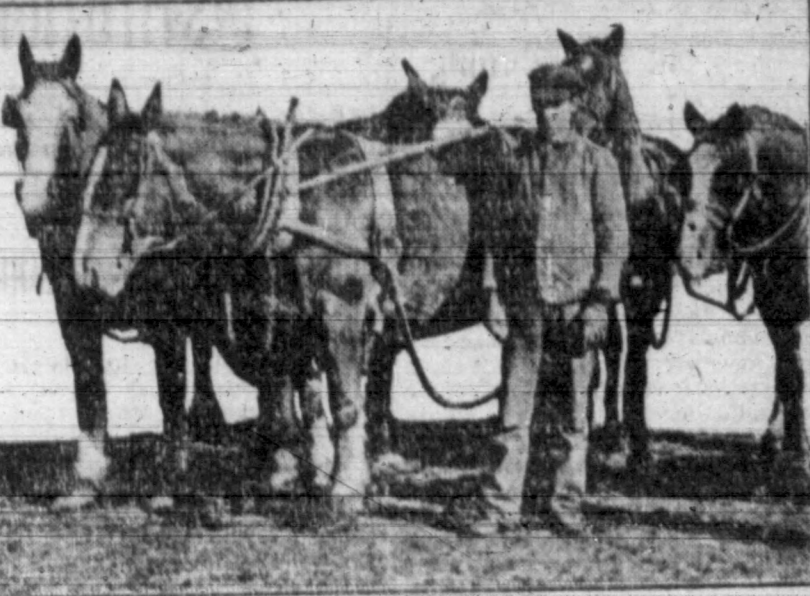
The colored population of the city and county was thrown into a state of excitement bordering on hysteria Sunday, Dec. 26th, at about noon when it was learned

that Robt. Reynolds had shot and killed his "lady friend," Cordie Cathey, both colored, at the home of Boone Hughes, colored, two miles west of the city.

There were no witnesses to the double tragedy, but the opinion prevails that Reynolds was jealous and had also been drinking and in a fit of rage fired a bullet into the girl's heart and then turned the weapon upon himself and sent a ball crashing through his skull. The double funeral was largely attended.

The following Murray young ladies spent the holidays at home: Misses Kirkland, Robertson and Vera Dunn, from Paducah; Miss Faye Houston, from Lexington, Tenn.; Miss Rexie Brooks, Corydon; Miss Ola Edwards, Central; Miss Hontas Dunn, Elkton; Miss Nina Ruff, Mayfield; Miss Ida Nance, Boston; Miss Ruth Houston, Bedford.

MORE WEIGHT IN HORSES IS ESSENTIAL



Type of Horses Needed on Southern Farms.

It does not follow that the horse the southern farmer needs is the one he thinks he needs. Moreover, since opinions differ as to the type of horse needed and the various kinds of work required of farm horses, it is quite certain no one type of horse will do best all the different kinds of work required on southern farms.

The horse most needed will, therefore, of necessity be in the nature of a compromise. We must first determine the most important work required of the farm horse before we can determine the type of horse most needed, for it is only reasonable that in his selection his most important service should be given greatest weight.

For those who expect to continue the use of one-horse implements to any large extent, the horse or mule weighing around 1,000 pounds is most needed. He must have quality, speed and endurance, for with small one-horse implements the only chance to obtain economical service is through greater activity.

The class of farmers who are adopting modern methods and using two- and three-horse implements, because they do more economical and better work and save man labor, is growing rapidly, but is still comparatively small. Many of those who use larger implements for plowing and preparing the land still adhere to one-horse implements for cultivating the crops.

But the demand for larger farm work stock is growing and will continue to grow rapidly. The average man who has begun the use of modern implements and methods now demands a horse or mule weighing 1,000 to 2,000 pounds more than was most popular ten years ago, and ten years from now a horse or mule weighing 2,000 pounds more than the popular type of today will be demanded.

To do good, efficient and economical service the horse needed on southern farms must weigh 1,200 to 1,400



Just Colts.

pounds. This is larger than is thought best by most farmers, but if future needs, and breeding requirements to meet these future needs, are considered, this weight is still too light, for the horse needed ten years from now will weigh 1,300 to 1,500 pounds.

The farm horse does most of his work at a walking gait, and he must have the weight to pull sufficiently large loads to more than make up for any deficiency in speed as compared with lighter animals. The greatest need on southern farms is for better work. Texas, for instance, has used more horses as a means of doing more work, cultivating more acres, but the real need for heavier farm horses is to enable the farmer to do better work. The best work cannot be done with one-horse plows and other one-horse implements. Large plows and disk harrows require larger horses.

But this 1,300 or 1,400-pound horse must be of good quality. He need not have the speed of the 900 or 1,000-pound horse, but he must be of gentle disposition, good quality, compactly built and rugged.

A horse weighing 1,300 or 1,400 pounds is too large for light driving or saddle purposes, and yet these services are required of farm horses.

It must be largely bred from our native mares. This will be a slow and possibly the most expensive method in the long run, but it is the only one likely to prove practicable.

If we are right that the southern farmer needs a horse weighing 1,200 to 1,500 pounds and that such an animal must be bred up from our native mares weighing 800 to 1,000 pounds, it is apparent that the sire must be from the draft breeds. It then seems to follow that the horse needed on southern farms is a draft horse. The southern farmer has much the same attitude towards a draft horse that a mad bull has toward a red flag, but we offer to him the quieting thought that a real draft horse, these times, weighs 1,600 pounds or more and therefore the type of horse we have suggested is really not a draft horse, but a horse with sufficient draft blood to give him the size required to do good and economical farm work.—Progressive Farmer.

RAISE DEWBERRIES IN SOUTH

Plant Does Especially Well on Light, Sandy Soil—Plan for Healthy Cane Next Year.

Dewberries can be grown to advantage in almost all parts of the South, especially on light, sandy land. Plantations are started by setting out the rooted tips in rows five or six feet apart. Fat lightwood stakes seven feet long make good supports for the vines, which are usually trained about the stakes and tied at the top.

As the dewberry is very subject to anthracnose, a disease which destroys the canes, it is a good practice to cut off and burn after the fruiting season, all parts of the plant above ground.

A high-grade fertilizer should then be applied and the vines cultivated thoroughly during the rest of the season to produce new, healthy canes for next year's crop.

Dewberries, raspberries and strawberries can be grown to advantage in the wide middle between pecan trees.

GOOD REASONS FOR DAIRYING

Not Enough Butter, Milk and Cream Produced in Louisiana to Supply Demands of Farmers.

(By J. M. CADWALLADER, Louisiana State University.)

Many people will no doubt be surprised to learn that there is not enough butter, milk and cream produced in Louisiana to supply the people on the farms of the state, to say nothing of supplying our small and large cities.

The northern dairymen are enjoying the profits realized by producing butter and selling it to our southern farmers for 40 cents per pound when we can produce butter and milk cheaper than they. If for no other reason, Louisiana farmers should engage in dairying to supply their own needs.

HOUSES FOR STORING COTTON

Upon Construction of Structure Depends Rate of Insurance Paid on Staple It Contains.

The correct designing of a cotton warehouse is of much importance, because upon the construction of the warehouse depends the rate of insurance charged for the cotton inside it. The average insurance rate, it is said, in the buildings now in use is as high as two dollars a year on \$100 in standard warehouses, properly protected by automatic sprinkler equipment, this rate could be reduced to 25 cents on \$100.

It is a curious fact that many of the warehouses now in use cost more to build than if they had been made to conform to the standards.

Ground Feed for Hogs.

As any animal, especially the hog, is being finished for the market, the need of ground feed becomes more imperative, since there will be less exercise, which makes it necessary for the animal to be furnished with a concentrated, easily digested ration for the upbuilding of fatty tissue.

Keep Cream or Milk Sweet.

Milk begins to sour within a few minutes after it is taken from the cow if it is not cooled. The bacteria that cause souring do not thrive in cold milk. Therefore, to keep your milk or cream sweet, cool it without delay.